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Security Council

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| 10 a.m. | 6380th meeting
(closed) | Conference
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- Adoption of the agenda
 - Meeting of the Security Council with the troop- and police-contributing countries pursuant to resolution 1353 (2001), annex II, sections A and B

United Nations Stabilization Mission in Haiti
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| 11.30 a.m. | 6381st meeting | Security
Council
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- Adoption of the agenda
 - Election of a member of the International Court of Justice (S/2010/442, S/2010/443 and S/2010/444)

General Assembly

Sixty-fourth session

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| 11.30 a.m. | 118th plenary
meeting | General
Assembly Hall |
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- Election of a member of the International Court of Justice [110 (c)]
 - Memorandum by the Secretary-General (A/64/899)
 - Note by the Secretary-General (A/64/900)
 - Note by the Secretary-General (A/64/901)
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| Afternoon ¹ | 119th plenary
meeting | General
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- The situation in the occupied territories of Azerbaijan: draft resolution (A/64/L.57) [18]

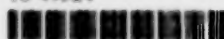
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¹To be held following the adjournment of the 118th plenary meeting.

General Assembly Sixty-fourth session

- The informal meeting of the plenary to mark the International Day against Nuclear Test will be held *today*, 9 September 2010, at 10 a.m. in Conference Room 3 (NLB). A note verbale from the Office of the President of the General Assembly, dated 30 August 2010, was sent by facsimile to all permanent representatives and permanent observers.

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- 3 p.m. 120th plenary meeting General Assembly Hall
- Request for an advisory opinion of the International Court of Justice on whether the unilateral declaration of independence of Kosovo is in accordance with international law [77]
- (a) Note by the Secretary-General (A/64/881)
- (b) Draft resolution (A/64/L.65/Rev.1)

Security Council

Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 1373 (2001) concerning counter-terrorism

- 3–6 p.m. 239th meeting (closed) Conference Room 8
(General Assembly Building)

General Assembly

Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions

- 10 a.m.–1 p.m. Closed meeting Conference Room 10 (NLB)
- 3–6 p.m. Closed meeting Conference Room 10 (NLB)
- Pattern of conferences

Economic and Social Council

Resumed substantive session of 2010

- 11 a.m.–1 p.m. 48th meeting Conference Room 1 (NLB)
- Adoption of the agenda and other organizational matters [1]
- Action on the procedures for the election of the members of the Executive Board of the United Nations Entity for Gender Equality and the Empowerment of Women (UN Women)*
- Oral draft decision*

Protocol and security announcement

A briefing for delegations regarding protocol, security and organizational arrangements for the high-level meetings and the general debate of the sixty-fifth session of the General Assembly (20–30 September 2010) will take place *today*, 9 September 2010, at 3 p.m. in Conference Room 2 (NLB). *Permanent and observer missions are urged to be represented at the briefing.*

United Nations Children's Fund**Executive Board****Second regular session 2010**

- 10 a.m.–1 p.m. 5th meeting Economic and Social Council Chamber (NLB)
1. Proposals for UNICEF programme cooperation [6]
 - (d) Recommendation for approval of additional regular resources for approved country programmes
 2. Oral report on the UNICEF follow-up to recommendations and decisions of the UNAIDS Programme Coordinating Board meetings (E/ICEF/2010/CRP.21) [4]
 3. Progress made in human resources management in UNICEF (E/ICEF/2010/AB/L.9) [13]
 4. Progress report on the implementation of the International Public Sector Accounting Standards (IPSAS) (E/ICEF/2010/AB/L.8) [14]
- 3–6 p.m. 6th meeting Economic and Social Council Chamber (NLB)
1. Proposed programme of work for the Executive Board sessions in 2011 (E/ICEF/2010/16) [3]
 2. Other matters [15]
 3. Adoption of draft decisions [16]
 4. Closing statements by the Executive Director and the President of the Executive Board [17]

Closing of the session

[*Note: The Western European and Other States Group will meet today from 9 to 9.45 a.m. in Conference Room C (NLB).*]

Other meetings

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Thursday, 9 September 2010**Economic Community of Central African States (at the ambassadorial level)**

10 a.m.–1 p.m. Closed meeting Conference Room B (NLB)

Group of 77 (on the Ministerial Declaration)

10 a.m.–1 p.m. Closed meeting Conference Room D (NLB)

Group of 77 (on Fifth Committee matters)

3–6 p.m. Closed meeting Conference Room 6 (NLB)

Non-Aligned Movement: Working Group on Legal Matters (at the expert level)

10 a.m.–1 p.m. Closed meeting Conference Room 5 (NLB)

OIC Group (at the expert level)

10 a.m.–1 p.m. Closed meeting Conference Room C (NLB)

Other activities*The information below is reproduced as received and does not imply any opinion or endorsement by the Secretariat of the United Nations.***Thursday, 9 September 2010****Special events on the occasion of the International Day against Nuclear Tests****High-level workshop on “Prioritizing the action plan of the Nuclear Non-Proliferation Treaty” (co-organized by the Permanent Mission of Kazakhstan and the EastWest Institute)**

From 3 to 5.30 p.m. in Conference Room 3 (NLB).

Screening of the documentary film entitled “Embrace a World Free of Nuclear Weapons” (produced by the Permanent Mission of Kazakhstan, in cooperation with the United Nations Office for Disarmament Affairs, the Department of Public Information and the Preparatory Commission for the Comprehensive Nuclear-Test-Ban Treaty Organization)

From 5.30 to 6 p.m. in Conference Room 3 (NLB).

[All are invited to attend the events. For further information, please contact Mr. Israil Tilegen, Permanent Mission of Kazakhstan (e-mail kazakhstan@un.int; tel. 1 (212) 230-1900, ext. 22)]**Press conferences***The schedule below is tentative; up-to-date information can be obtained at <www.un.org/News/pressg/conf.htm>.***Thursday, 9 September 2010****Second floor stakeout (NLB) 🚗**

11.20 a.m. H.E. Mr. Ban Ki-moon, Secretary-General

Dag Hammarskjöld Library Auditorium 🚗

12 noon Press briefing by the Spokesperson

Forthcoming official meetings

Monday, 13 September 2010

General Assembly

Sixty-fourth session

3 p.m.	121st plenary meeting	General Assembly Hall
	1. Report of the Security Council	[9]
	2. Report of the Peacebuilding Commission	[10]
	3. Prevention of armed conflict	[13]
	4. The situation in the Middle East	[15]
	5. Question of Palestine	[16]
	6. The situation in Central America: progress in fashioning a region of peace, freedom, democracy and development	[20]
	7. Question of Cyprus	[21]
	8. Armed aggression against the Democratic Republic of the Congo	[22]
	9. Question of the Falkland Islands (Malvinas)	[23]
	10. The situation of democracy and human rights in Haiti	[24]
	11. Armed Israeli aggression against the Iraqi nuclear installations and its grave consequences for the established international system concerning the peaceful uses of nuclear energy, the non-proliferation of nuclear weapons and international peace and security	[25]
	12. Consequences of the Iraqi occupation of and aggression against Kuwait	[26]
	13. Integrated and coordinated implementation of and follow-up to the outcomes of the major United Nations conferences and summits in the economic, social and related fields; and Follow-up to the outcome of the Millennium Summit	[48 and 114]
	14. Culture of peace	[49]
	15. Follow-up to and implementation of the outcome of the 2002 International Conference on Financing for Development and the 2008 Review Conference	[52]
	16. Sustainable development	[53]
	(b) Follow-up to and implementation of the Mauritius Strategy for the Further Implementation of the Programme of Action for the Sustainable Development of Small Island Developing States	
	(d) Protection of global climate for present and future generations	
	(f) Convention on Biological Diversity	
	17. Report of the Human Rights Council	[64]
	18. Strengthening of the coordination of emergency humanitarian assistance of the United Nations	[70 (a)]
	19. General and complete disarmament	[96]
	20. Measures to eliminate international terrorism	[106]

21.	Report of the Secretary-General on the work of the Organization	[107]
22.	Report of the Secretary-General on the Peacebuilding Fund	[108]
23.	Elections to fill vacancies in subsidiary organs and other elections.	[111]
	(a) Election of seven members of the Committee for Programme and Coordination	
	(e) Election of twenty-nine members of the Governing Council of the United Nations Environment Programme	
24.	Appointments to fill vacancies in subsidiary organs and other appointments	[112]
	(f) Appointment of members of the Committee on Conferences	
	(i) Appointment of the Under-Secretary-General for Internal Oversight Services	
25.	Admission of new Members to the United Nations	[113]
26.	Follow-up to the outcome of the Millennium Summit	[114]
27.	Revitalization of the work of the General Assembly	[118]
28.	Question of equitable representation on and increase in the membership of the Security Council and related matters	[119]
29.	Strengthening of the United Nations system	[120]
30.	United Nations reform: measures and proposals	[121]
31.	Follow-up to the recommendations on administrative management and internal oversight of the Independent Inquiry Committee into the United Nations Oil-for-Food Programme	[122]
32.	Global health and foreign policy	[123]
33.	International Criminal Tribunal for the Prosecution of Persons Responsible for Genocide and Other Serious Violations of International Humanitarian Law Committed in the Territory of Rwanda and Rwandan Citizens Responsible for Genocide and Other Such Violations Committed in the Territory of Neighbouring States between 1 January and 31 December 1994.	[127]
34.	International Tribunal for the Prosecution of Persons Responsible for Serious Violations of International Humanitarian Law Committed in the Territory of the Former Yugoslavia since 1991	[128]
35.	Financial reports and audited financial statements, and reports of the Board of Auditors [129]	
36.	Review of the efficiency of the administrative and financial functioning of the United Nations	[130]
37.	Programme budget for the biennium 2008-2009	[131]
38.	Proposed programme budget for the biennium 2010-2011	[132]
39.	Programme planning	[133]
40.	Improving the financial situation of the United Nations	[134]
41.	Pattern of conferences	[135]
42.	Scale of assessments for the apportionment of the expenses of the United Nations	[136]
43.	Human resources management	[137]

44.	Joint Inspection Unit	[138]
45.	United Nations common system	[139]
46.	Report on the activities of the Office of Internal Oversight Services	[140]
47.	Review of the implementation of General Assembly resolutions 48/218 B, 54/244 and 59/272	[141]
48.	Administration of justice at the United Nations	[142]
49.	Financing of the International Criminal Tribunal for the Prosecution of Persons Responsible for Genocide and Other Serious Violations of International Humanitarian Law Committed in the Territory of Rwanda and Rwandan Citizens Responsible for Genocide and Other Such Violations Committed in the Territory of Neighbouring States between 1 January and 31 December 1994	[143]
50.	Financing of the International Tribunal for the Prosecution of Persons Responsible for Serious Violations of International Humanitarian Law Committed in the Territory of the Former Yugoslavia since 1991	[144]
51.	Scale of assessments for the apportionment of the expenses of United Nations peacekeeping operations	[145]
52.	Administrative and budgetary aspects of the financing of the United Nations peacekeeping operations	[146]
53.	Financing of the United Nations Operation in Burundi	[147]
54.	Financing of the United Nations Operation in Côte d'Ivoire	[148]
55.	Financing of the United Nations Peacekeeping Force in Cyprus	[149]
56.	Financing of the United Nations Organization Mission in the Democratic Republic of the Congo	[150]
57.	Financing of the United Nations Mission in East Timor	[151]
58.	Financing of the United Nations Integrated Mission in Timor-Leste	[152]
59.	Financing of the United Nations Mission in Ethiopia and Eritrea	[153]
60.	Financing of the United Nations Observer Mission in Georgia	[154]
61.	Financing of the United Nations Stabilization Mission in Haiti	[155]
62.	Financing of the United Nations Interim Administration Mission in Kosovo	[156]
63.	Financing of the United Nations Mission in Liberia	[157]
64.	Financing of the United Nations peacekeeping forces in the Middle East	[158]
65.	Financing of the United Nations Mission in the Sudan	[159]
66.	Financing of the United Nations Mission for the Referendum in Western Sahara	[160]
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68.	Financing of the United Nations Mission in the Central African Republic and Chad [162]	
69.	Financing of the activities arising from Security Council resolution 1863 (2009)	[163]
70.	Question of the Comorian island of Mayotte	[172]
71.	Closing of the sixty-fourth session of the General Assembly	

General Assembly

Sixty-fifth session

High-level Plenary Meeting of the General Assembly

(20–22 September 2010)

All delegations wishing to participate in the round tables are kindly requested to inscribe with the List of Speakers, *in writing*, by facsimile (1 (212) 963-3783) or e-mail (muturi@un.org and heddachem@un.org), indicating the name and the level of the participant. Inscription, on a first-come, first-served basis, is open.

As stipulated in resolution 64/184 of 21 December 2009 (A/RES/64/184), the six round tables will be held as follows:

Monday, 20 September:

From 10 a.m. to 1 p.m.

Round table 1 — Addressing the challenge of poverty, hunger and gender equality

From 3 to 6 p.m.

Round table 2 — Meeting the goals of health and education*Tuesday, 21 September:*

From 10 a.m. to 1 p.m.

Round table 3 — Promoting sustainable development

From 3 to 6 p.m.

Round table 4 — Addressing emerging issues and evolving approaches*Wednesday, 22 September:*

From 10 a.m. to 1 p.m.

Round table 5 — Addressing the special needs of the most vulnerable

From 2 to 5 p.m.

Round table 6 — Widening and strengthening partnerships

For each regional group, the distribution of its members for participation in each round-table session will be as follows:

- (a) African States: ten Member States
- (b) Asian States: ten Member States
- (c) Eastern European States: five Member States
- (d) Latin American and Caribbean States: seven Member States
- (e) Western European and other States: six Member States

Each delegation may only participate in one round table and thus may wish to indicate three preferences when inscribing on the list.

General Assembly

Sixty-fifth session

**Informal consultations on the provisional agenda item 75 (b)
(Oceans and the law of the sea: Sustainable fisheries)**

Open-ended informal consultations on the draft resolution on agenda item 75 (b) (Oceans and the law of the sea: Sustainable fisheries) of the provisional agenda of the sixty-fifth regular session of the General Assembly will be held from Tuesday, 14, to Friday, 17 September 2010, from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. and from 3 to 6 p.m. in Conference Room 6 (NLB).

Main Committees**Third Committee***Informal briefing*

Pursuant to paragraph 3 (h) of the annex to General Assembly resolution 58/316, the Chair of the Third Committee for the sixty-fifth session of the General Assembly, H.E. Mr. Michel Tommo Monthe (Cameroon), will hold an informal briefing on the organization of work of the Committee (A/C.3/65/L.1) on Wednesday, 17 September 2010, at 3 p.m. in Conference Room 1 (NLB).

List of speakers

The Committee will begin its work on Monday, 4 October, at 10 a.m. The list of speakers for the general discussion on all items of the Third Committee will open on Wednesday, 22 September 2010.

Participants

Delegations that have not communicated the composition of their delegation to the Third Committee are reminded to convey such information to the Acting Secretary of the Committee, Mr. Otto Gustafik (c/o Paolo Dua (e-mail 3rdcommittee@un.org; room NL-1033 or IN-620C)). Please note that only scanned copies of notes verbales or form A/INF/65/2* will be accepted by e-mail.

General Assembly**United Nations Convention on the Law of the Sea****Meeting of States Parties****Working Group of the Bureau**

The informal Working Group of the Bureau of the Meeting of States Parties to the United Nations Convention on the Law of the Sea will hold its 9th meeting on the workload of the Commission on the Limits of the Continental Shelf, on Friday, 17 September 2010, from 1.15 to 2.45 p.m. in Conference Room 6 (NLB).

Other forthcoming meetings

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International Criminal Court: Bureau of the Assembly of States Parties

Monday, 13 September 2010, from 8.45 to 9.30 a.m. in Conference Room 5 (NLB).

Briefing for Sixth Committee delegates on the Committee items on the provisional agenda of the sixty-fifth session of the General Assembly (Web site <www.un.org/ga/sixth>)

Wednesday, 15 September 2010, from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. in Conference Room 5 (NLB).

UNITAR briefings for new delegates to the General Assembly

General briefing on the work of the sixty-fifth session of the General Assembly

Wednesday, 15 September 2010, from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. and from 3 to 6 p.m. in Conference Room 3 (NLB);

Thursday, 16 September 2010, from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. and from 3 to 6 p.m. in Conference Room 3 (NLB);

Special briefing on the work of the Second Committee

Friday, 17 September 2010, from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. in Conference Room 3 (NLB);

Special briefing on the work of the Third Committee

Friday, 17 September 2010, from 3 to 6 p.m. in Conference Room 3 (NLB); and

Special briefing on the work of the Fifth Committee

Friday, 17 September 2010, from 3 to 6 p.m. in Conference Room D (NLB).

[For further information, please contact Ms. Soukeyna Fall, UNITAR (e-mail falls@un.org; tel. 1 (212) 963-9196).]

Informal consultations on item 38 (The situation in Afghanistan) of the provisional agenda of the sixty-fifth session of the General Assembly (organized by the Permanent Mission of Germany)

Thursday, 16 September 2010, from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. in Conference Room 7 (NLB).

Forthcoming other activities

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Seminar on “*Perspectives on Global Development 2010: What implications does the ‘shifting wealth’ have for the LDCs?*” (co-organized by the Office of the High Representative for the LDCs, LLDCs and SIDS (UN-OHRLS), in cooperation with the OECD Development Center in Paris)

Monday, 13 September 2010, from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. in Conference Room 5 (NLB).

[All are invited to attend. For further information, please contact Mr. Andrew Allimadi (e-mail allimadi@un.org; tel. 1 (917) 367-0730); or Ms. Myriam Kusayanagi (e-mail kusayanagi@un.org).]

Panel discussion on “The role of the rule of law in the achievement of the MDGs” (organized by the Rule of Law Unit, Executive Office of the Secretary-General)

Tuesday, 14 September 2010, from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. in Conference Room 5 (NLB).

[All are invited to attend. For further information, please contact Ms. Lilibeth Benitez, Rule of Law Unit (e-mail benitez@un.org; tel. 1 (917) 367-2935).]

Prayer service on the occasion of the opening of the sixty-fifth session of the General Assembly (organized by the Permanent Observer Mission of the Holy See and the Archdiocese of New York)

Thursday, 16 September 2010, at 6 p.m., at the Church of the Holy Family (315 East 47th Street).

[All are invited to attend. For further information, please contact the Permanent Observer Mission of the Holy See (tel. 1 (212) 370-7885).]

Launch of the revised Pakistan Floods Emergency Response Plan (co-organized by the Office for the Coordination of Humanitarian Affairs (OCHA) and the Permanent Mission of Pakistan)

Friday, 17 September 2010, at 3.30 p.m. in the Economic and Social Council Chamber (NLB).

[Permanent and observers missions are invited to attend. For further information, please contact Ms. Mervat Shelbaya, OCHA (e-mail shelbaya@un.org; tel. 1 (212) 963 4533).]

Forthcoming official meetings held away from Headquarters**Economic and Social Council****United Nations Forum on Forests****Open-ended Intergovernmental Ad Hoc Expert Group on Forest Financing**

First meeting

Nairobi, Kenya (13–17 September 2010)

The first meeting of the Open-ended Intergovernmental Ad Hoc Expert Group on Forest Financing (AHEG-1) will be held from Monday, 13, to Friday, 17 September 2010, in Nairobi, Kenya. Member States are requested to fax a note verbale, via their Permanent Missions in New York, to the UNFF secretariat, *as soon as possible*, informing the name(s) of their Government-designated expert(s) for participation in the AHEG-1 (1 (917) 367-3186). Additional information on registration is available on the following Web site <www.un.org/esa/forests/adhoc-forestfinance-registration.html>. For further information, please contact Ms. Ninon Thermidor (e-mail thermidor@un.org; tel. 1 (212) 963-3261); or Ms. Edith Niamke (e-mail niamke@un.org; tel. 1 (917) 367-4244).

Committee of Experts on International Cooperation in Tax Matters

Sixth session

United Nations Office at Geneva

In accordance with Economic and Social Council decision 2010/257 of 23 July 2010, the sixth session of the Committee of Experts on International Cooperation in Tax Matters will be held from Monday, 18, to Friday, 22 October 2010, at the Palais des Nations in Geneva.

Background materials, including the provisional agenda and organization of work, are available on the Financing for Development Web site at the following address: <www.un.org/esa/ffd/tax/sixthsession/>.

For further information, please contact the Acting Secretary of the Committee, Mr. Michael Lennard (e-mail taxffdoffice@un.org; tel. 1 (917) 367-5734).

Announcements**United Nations Regional Course in International Law**

Applications for the United Nations Regional Course in International Law, scheduled to be held at Seoul National University, Republic of Korea, from 15 to 26 November 2010, are now being accepted from candidates from Member States of the United Nations which are also members of the regional group of Asian States. The deadline for applications is *today*, 9 September 2010.

The Regional Course will be conducted in English. For further information, including application forms, please consult the Regional Course Web site at <www.un.org/law/rcil/asia>; or contact the Codification Division (e-mail rcil-asia@un.org).

Side events on the occasion of the High-level Plenary Meeting of the sixty-fifth session of the General Assembly

Delegations and other interested parties are invited to submit their proposed side events for inclusion in the calendar of partnership events to be held in conjunction with the High-level Plenary Meeting. Please use the online form on the official Web site of the High-level Plenary Meeting <www.un.org/en/mdg/summit2010/events.shtml>. Information on where to submit requests for rooms is also available on the official Web site. For further information, please send an e-mail to hlpmevents@un.org. The tentative list of side events is now available on the official Web site.

Security Council**Communications to the President of the Security Council**

Communications addressed to the President of the Security Council should be delivered to the Offices of the Security Council Secretariat Branch (room 08083, 730 Third Avenue (between 45th and 46th Streets); tel. 1 (212) 963-5258).

Web site of the presidency

The Web site of the presidency of the Security Council can be visited at <www.un.org/sc/presidency.asp>.

Recorded information

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Prepared statements

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Delegations are kindly requested to make 40 copies for minimum distribution to Council members and relevant services, and 200 additional copies for general distribution in the Security Council Chamber.

Delegations wishing to make statements available for the media are kindly requested to deliver 50 copies to the Media Documents Centre (e-mail mdc@un.org; tel. 1 (212) 963-7166; room SA-1B12).

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Summary of official meetings

Wednesday, 8 September 2010

Security Council

6379th meeting

The situation in Liberia

Twenty-first progress report of the Secretary-General on the United Nations Mission in Liberia (S/2010/429)

The agenda was adopted without objection.

The President, with the consent of the Council, invited the representative of Liberia, at her request, to participate in the consideration of the item without the right to vote, in accordance with the relevant provisions of the Charter and rule 37 of the Council's provisional rules of procedure.

In accordance with the understanding reached in the Council's prior consultations, the President extended an invitation under rule 39 of the Council's provisional rules of procedure to Ms. Ellen Margrethe Løj, Special Representative of the Secretary-General and Head of the United Nations Mission in Liberia.

The Council began its consideration of the item and heard a briefing by Ms. Løj.

The Council heard a statement by the representative of Liberia.

General Assembly

Sixty-fourth session

116th plenary meeting

The United Nations Global Counter-Terrorism Strategy [115]

(a) *Report of the Secretary-General (A/64/818)*

(b) *Draft resolution (A/64/L.69)*

The General Assembly resumed its consideration of agenda item 115.

The President made a statement.

H.E. Mr. Moctar Ouane, Minister for Foreign Affairs of Mali, made a statement.

Statements were made by the representatives of the Syrian Arab Republic (on behalf of the Organization of the Islamic Conference), Belgium (on behalf of the European Union and those countries that aligned themselves with the statement), Viet Nam (on behalf of the Association of Southeast Asian Nations), Canada (also on behalf of Australia and New Zealand), Norway, Algeria, Egypt, the Russian Federation, Madagascar, Israel, Colombia, Japan, the United States, Poland, Switzerland, Turkey, France and Pakistan.

117th plenary meeting

The United Nations Global Counter-Terrorism Strategy [115]

(a) *Report of the Secretary-General (A/64/818)*

(b) *Draft resolution (A/64/L.69)*

The General Assembly continued its consideration of agenda item 115.

Statements were made by the representatives of El Salvador, the United Kingdom, the Republic of Korea, Denmark, Costa Rica, Senegal, Jordan, Spain, Indonesia, the Islamic Republic of Iran, Croatia, the Libyan Arab Jamahiriya, India, Morocco, Slovenia, Sri Lanka, Malaysia, the Bolivarian Republic of Venezuela, Austria, Cuba, Montenegro and Ethiopia.

In accordance with General Assembly resolution 44/6 of 17 October 1989, the observer of the Council of Europe made a statement.

In accordance with General Assembly resolution 48/5 of 13 October 1993, the observer for the Organization for Security and Cooperation in Europe made a statement.

The representative of Bangladesh made a statement.

The General Assembly adopted draft resolution A/64/L.69 (resolution 64/297).

The General Assembly thus concluded its consideration of agenda item 115.

Signatures, Ratifications, etc.

[Multilateral Treaties Deposited with the Secretary-General]

International Cocoa Agreement, 2001. Geneva, 2 March 2001

Accession: Cyprus (2 September 2010)¹

¹Date of receipt of the relevant documents.

Treaty Event

Multilateral Treaty Framework: An invitation to universal participation

2010 Treaty Event: Towards universal participation and implementation

United Nations Headquarters (21–23 and 27–28 September 2010)

It is recalled that a series of successful treaty events have been held annually at the Headquarters of the United Nations commencing with the Millennium Summit in 2000. This year, the annual treaty event will be held from Tuesday, 21, to Thursday, 23 September, and on Monday, 27, and Tuesday, 28 September 2010, at United Nations Headquarters, to coincide with the general debate of the sixty-fifth session of the General Assembly.

The Event, entitled “2010 Treaty Event: Towards universal participation and implementation”, provides a distinct opportunity for States to demonstrate their continuing commitment to the central role of the rule of law in international relations. This year’s event will highlight treaties of global reach such as human rights, terrorism, penal matters, disarmament, climate change and the protection of United Nations personnel. In particular, this year will highlight a theme which celebrates and safeguards life on earth, biodiversity. 2010 marks the International Year of Biodiversity; it also marks the start of the United Nations Decade for Deserts and the Fight against Desertification, another global issue requiring a global response.

The list of treaties being highlighted this year has been circulated by depositary notification C.N.243.2010.TREATIES-3 of 28 April 2010. As is customary, it will be possible to undertake treaty actions with regard to any treaty deposited with the Secretary-General during the treaty event. Necessary facilities, including media coverage, will be made available for treaty actions to be undertaken in a solemn setting.

Delegations intending to sign or deposit instruments of ratification, acceptance, approval or accession relating to multilateral treaties deposited with the Secretary-General during the treaty event may wish to inform their Governments accordingly for the purpose of completing the requisite domestic procedures.

Under established international practice, only Heads of State, Heads of Government or Ministers for Foreign Affairs are empowered, by virtue of their functions, to sign treaties on behalf of States without having to produce full powers to that effect. All other representatives wishing to sign treaties must be in possession of appropriate full powers, which expressly authorize signature of specified treaties by a named representative issued and signed by one of these authorities. Likewise, instruments of ratification, acceptance, approval or accession must be issued and signed by the same authorities.

The Secretary-General would be obliged if States wishing to sign, ratify or accede to any of the treaties could notify and provide copies of full powers/instruments in advance to the Treaty Section.

Further information concerning the 2010 Treaty Event is available on the United Nations Treaty Collection Web site <treaties.un.org> and at the Treaty Section, Office of Legal Affairs (tel. 1 (212) 963-5047). Information concerning the requirements for full powers and the deposit of instruments of ratification, acceptance, approval or accession (including model instruments) can be found in the *Treaty Handbook*, which is also available on the United Nations Treaty Collection Web site.

International Cocoa Agreement, 2001

Geneva, 25 June 2010

Opening for signature

In accordance with its article 54, the above Agreement shall be open for signature in New York from 1 October 2010 until 30 September 2012, by parties to the International Cocoa Agreement, 2001, and Governments invited to the United Nations Conference, 2010.

Certified true copies of the Agreement, of which the Arabic, Chinese, English, French, Russian and Spanish texts are equally authentic, will be prepared and will be transmitted to all States as soon as possible.

The Secretary-General takes this opportunity to recall that, under established international practice, only Heads of State, Heads of Government or Ministers for Foreign Affairs are empowered by virtue of their functions, to sign a treaty on behalf of a State without having to produce full powers to that effect. Other representatives wishing to sign a treaty must be in possession of appropriate full powers, which expressly authorize signature of a specific treaty by a named representative issued and signed by one of these authorities. Full powers are distinct from credentials. Credentials alone are not adequate for the purpose of signing a treaty.

The Secretary-General would be obliged if States wishing to sign the Agreement could notify, and provide copies of the required full powers in advance to the Treaty Section, Office of Legal Affairs (380 Madison Avenue, New York; e-mail depositaryCN@un.org; tel. 1 (212) 963-5047; fax 1 (212) 963-3693).

For more information on full powers and a model instrument of full powers, please refer to the *Treaty Handbook* on the United Nations Treaty Collection Web site, which can be accessed at the following address <treaties.un.org>.

General information

Chairs of the regional groups

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Lesotho
H.E. Mr. Motlatsi Ramafole

Asian States:

Republic of Korea
H.E. Mr. Park In-Kook

Eastern European States:

Bulgaria
H.E. Mr. Rayko S. Raytchev

Latin American and Caribbean States:

Suriname
H.E. Mr. Henry Leonard Mac-Donald

Western European and other States:

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H.E. Mr. Carsten Staur

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International Criminal Court: Bureau of the Assembly of States Parties

8.45–9.30 a.m. Closed meeting Conference Room 5 (NLB)

Group of 77 (on the Ministerial Declaration)

10 a.m.–1 p.m. Closed meeting Conference Room E (NLB)

3–6 p.m. Closed meeting Conference Room 2 (NLB)

OIC Group (at the expert level)

10 a.m.–1 p.m. Closed meeting Conference Room 2 (NLB)

Group of Latin American and Caribbean States

11 a.m.–1 p.m. Closed meeting Conference Room 6 (NLB)

Other activities

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Monday, 13 September 2010

Seminar on “Perspectives on Global Development 2010: What implications does the ‘shifting wealth’ have for the LDCs?” (co-organized by the Office of the High Representative for the LDCs, LLDCs and SIDS (UN-OHRLLS), in cooperation with the OECD Development Center in Paris)

From 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. in Conference Room 5 (NLB).

[All are invited to attend. For further information, please contact Mr. Andrew Allimadi (e-mail allimadi@un.org; tel. 1 (917) 367-0730); or Ms. Myriam Kusayanagi (e-mail kusayanagi@un.org).]

Press conferences

The schedule below is tentative; up-to-date information can be obtained at <www.un.org/News/pressg/conf.htm>.

Monday, 13 September 2010

Dag Hammarskjöld Library Auditorium 

- 11 a.m. H.E. Mr. Ban Ki-moon, Secretary-General (on the occasion of the opening of the sixty-fifth session of the General Assembly)
- 12.30 p.m. H.E. Dr. Ali Abdussalam Treki, President of the sixty-fourth session of the General Assembly

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Tuesday, 14 September 2010

General Assembly

Sixty-fifth session

- 3 p.m. 1st plenary meeting General Assembly Hall
1. Opening of the session by the President of the General Assembly
 2. Minute of silent prayer or meditation
 3. Appointment of the members of the Credentials Committee
 4. Organization of work of the sixty-fifth regular session of the General Assembly: letter from the Chairman of the Committee on Conferences (A/65/337)

General Assembly

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High-level Plenary Meeting of the General Assembly

(20–22 September 2010)

All delegations wishing to participate in the round tables are kindly requested to inscribe with the List of Speakers, *in writing*, by facsimile (1 (212) 963-3783) or e-mail (muturi@un.org and heddachem@un.org), indicating the name and the level of the participant. Inscription, on a first-come, first-served basis, is open.

As stipulated in resolution 64/184 of 21 December 2009 (A/RES/64/184), the six round tables will be held as follows:

Monday, 20 September:

From 10 a.m. to 1 p.m.

Round table 1 — Addressing the challenge of poverty, hunger and gender equality

From 3 to 6 p.m.

Round table 2 — Meeting the goals of health and education

Tuesday, 21 September:

From 10 a.m. to 1 p.m.

Round table 3 — Promoting sustainable development

From 3 to 6 p.m.

Round table 4 — Addressing emerging issues and evolving approaches

Wednesday, 22 September:

From 10 a.m. to 1 p.m.

Round table 5 — Addressing the special needs of the most vulnerable

From 2 to 5 p.m.

Round table 6 — Widening and strengthening partnerships

For each regional group, the distribution of its members for participation in each round-table session will be as follows:

- (a) African States: ten Member States
- (b) Asian States: ten Member States
- (c) Eastern European States: five Member States
- (d) Latin American and Caribbean States: seven Member States
- (e) Western European and other States: six Member States

Each delegation may only participate in one round table and thus may wish to indicate three preferences when inscribing on the list.

General Assembly

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Informal consultations on the provisional agenda item 75 (b)

(Oceans and the law of the sea: Sustainable fisheries)

Open-ended informal consultations on the draft resolution on agenda item 75 (b) (Oceans and the law of the sea: Sustainable fisheries) of the provisional agenda of the sixty-fifth regular session of the General Assembly will be held from Tuesday, 14, to Friday, 17 September 2010, from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. and from 3 to 6 p.m. in Conference Room 6 (NLB).

Main Committees

Third Committee

Informal briefing

Pursuant to paragraph 3 (h) of the annex to General Assembly resolution 58/316, the Chair of the Third Committee for the sixty-fifth session of the General Assembly, H.E. Mr. Michel Tommo Monthe (Cameroon), will hold an informal briefing on the organization of work of the Committee (A/C.3/65/L.1) on *Thursday, 16 September 2010*, at 3 p.m. in Conference Room 1 (NLB).

List of speakers

The Committee will begin its work on Monday, 4 October, at 10 a.m. The list of speakers for the general discussion on all items of the Third Committee will open on Wednesday, 22 September 2010.

Participants

Delegations that have not communicated the composition of their delegation to the Third Committee are reminded to convey such information to the Acting Secretary of the Committee, Mr. Otto Gustafik (c/o Paolo Dua (e-mail 3rdcommittee@un.org; room NL-1033 or IN-620C)). Please note that only scanned copies of notes verbales or form A/INF/65/2* will be accepted by e-mail.

General Assembly**Special Committee on Peacekeeping Operations****Informal briefing**

There will be an informal briefing by the Department of Peacekeeping Operations to members of the Special Committee on Thursday, 16 September 2010, at 3 p.m. in Conference Room 3 (NLB). The briefing will provide a progress update on the Special Committee's request to develop a strategic framework containing elements and parameters for mission-specific strategies to guide senior mission leadership in elaborating a comprehensive protection strategy, in accordance with paragraph 149 of the Special Committee's report (A/64/19).

United Nations Convention on the Law of the Sea**Meeting of States Parties****Working Group of the Bureau**

The informal Working Group of the Bureau of the Meeting of States Parties to the United Nations Convention on the Law of the Sea will hold its 9th meeting on the workload of the Commission on the Limits of the Continental Shelf, on Friday, 17 September 2010, from 1.15 to 2.45 p.m. in Conference Room 6 (NLB).

Economic and Social Council**Informal "informal" consultations**

Informal "informal" consultations, convened by the presidency of the Economic and Social Council (Malaysia) and facilitated by Mr. Zahid Rastam, on the process leading up to the election and on the method of election of the members of the newly established Executive Board of the United Nations Entity for Gender Equality and the Empowerment of Women (UN Women), will take place on Tuesday, 14 September 2010, from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. in Conference Room 7 (NLB).

Other forthcoming meetings

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Group of Friends of the International Criminal Court (at the level of legal advisers)

Tuesday, 14 September 2010, from 1.15 to 2.30 p.m. in Conference Room 3 (NLB).

Group of Friends of the International Criminal Court (at the level of permanent representatives)

Wednesday, 15 September 2010, from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. in Conference Room 7 (NLB).

Briefing for Sixth Committee delegates on the Committee items on the provisional agenda of the sixty-fifth session of the General Assembly (Web site <www.un.org/ga/sixth>)

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UNITAR briefings for new delegates to the General Assembly**General briefing on the work of the sixty-fifth session of the General Assembly**

Wednesday, 15 September 2010, from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. and from 3 to 6 p.m. in Conference Room 3 (NLB);

Thursday, 16 September 2010, from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. and from 3 to 6 p.m. in Conference Room 3 (NLB);

Special briefing on the work of the Second Committee

Friday, 17 September 2010, from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. in Conference Room 3 (NLB);

Special briefing on the work of the Third Committee

Friday, 17 September 2010, from 3 to 6 p.m. in Conference Room 3 (NLB); and

Special briefing on the work of the Fifth Committee

Friday, 17 September 2010, from 3 to 6 p.m. in Conference Room D (NLB).

[For further information, please contact Ms. Soukeyna Fall, UNITAR (e-mail falls@un.org; tel. 1 (212) 963-9196).]

Informal consultations on item 38 (The situation in Afghanistan) of the provisional agenda of the sixty-fifth session of the General Assembly (organized by the Permanent Mission of Germany)

Thursday, 16 September 2010, from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. in Conference Room 7 (NLB).

Forthcoming other activities

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Panel discussion on “Global crises and entrepreneurial incentives” (organized by the United Nations University Office in New York (UNU-ONY))

Tuesday, 14 September 2010, from 10 a.m. to 12 noon in Conference Room A (NLB).

[All are invited to attend. For further information and to register, please visit <www.ony.unu.edu>; or contact Mr. Francis Lowe, UNU-ONY (e-mail lowe@unu.edu; tel. 1 (212) 963-6387).]

Panel discussion on “The role of the rule of law in the achievement of the MDGs” (organized by the Rule of Law Unit, Executive Office of the Secretary-General)

Tuesday, 14 September 2010, from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. in Conference Room 5 (NLB).

[All are invited to attend. For further information, please contact Ms. Lilibeth Benitez, Rule of Law Unit (e-mail benitez@un.org; tel. 1 (917) 367-2935).]

Women’s International Forum: Meeting on “Gender equality and the empowerment of women” (sponsored by the Executive Office of the Secretary-General)

Thursday, 16 September 2010, from 11 a.m. to 12.30 p.m. in Conference Room 1 (NLB).

[Delegates and Secretariat staff are invited to attend.]

Prayer service on the occasion of the opening of the sixty-fifth session of the General Assembly (organized by the Permanent Observer Mission of the Holy See and the Archdiocese of New York)

Thursday, 16 September 2010, at 6 p.m., at the Church of the Holy Family (315 East 47th Street).

[All are invited to attend. For further information, please contact the Permanent Observer Mission of the Holy See (tel. 1 (212) 370-7885).]

Launch of the revised Pakistan Floods Emergency Response Plan (co-organized by the Office for the Coordination of Humanitarian Affairs (OCHA) and the Permanent Mission of Pakistan)

Friday, 17 September 2010, at 3.30 p.m. in the Economic and Social Council Chamber (NLB).

[Permanent and observers missions are invited to attend. For further information, please contact Ms. Mervat Shelbaya, OCHA (e-mail shelbaya@un.org; tel. 1 (212) 963 4533).]

Forthcoming official meetings held away from Headquarters**Economic and Social Council****United Nations Forum on Forests****Open-ended Intergovernmental Ad Hoc Expert Group on Forest Financing**

First meeting

Nairobi, Kenya (13–17 September 2010)

The first meeting of the Open-ended Intergovernmental Ad Hoc Expert Group on Forest Financing (AHEG-1) will be held from *Monday, 13, to Friday, 17 September 2010*, in Nairobi, Kenya. Member States are requested to fax a note verbale, via their Permanent Missions in New York, to the UNFF secretariat, *as soon as possible*, informing the name(s) of their Government-designated expert(s) for participation in the AHEG-1 (1 (917) 367-3186). Additional information on registration is available on the following Web site <www.un.org/esa/forests/adhoc-forestfinance-registration.html>. For further information, please contact Ms. Ninon Thermidor (e-mail thermidor@un.org; tel. 1 (212) 963-3261); or Ms. Edith Niamke (e-mail niamke@un.org; tel. 1 (917) 367-4244).

Committee of Experts on International Cooperation in Tax Matters

Sixth session

United Nations Office at Geneva

In accordance with Economic and Social Council decision 2010/257 of 23 July 2010, the sixth session of the Committee of Experts on International Cooperation in Tax Matters will be held from Monday, 18, to Friday, 22 October 2010, at the Palais des Nations in Geneva.

Background materials, including the provisional agenda and organization of work, are available on the Financing for Development Web site at the following address: <www.un.org/esa/ffd/tax/sixthsession/>.

For further information, please contact the Acting Secretary of the Committee, Mr. Michael Lennard (e-mail taxffdoffice@un.org; tel. 1 (917) 367-5734).

Announcements**Side events on the occasion of the High-level Plenary Meeting of the sixty-fifth session of the General Assembly**

Delegations and other interested parties are invited to submit their proposed side events for inclusion in the calendar of partnership events to be held in conjunction with the High-level Plenary Meeting. Please use the online form on the official Web site of the High-level Plenary Meeting <www.un.org/en/mdg/summit2010/events.shtml>. Information on where to submit requests for rooms is also available on the official Web site. For further information, please send an e-mail to hlpmevents@un.org. The tentative list of side events is now available on the official Web site.

United Nations Regional Course in International Law

The deadline for applications for the United Nations Regional Course in International Law, scheduled to be held at Seoul National University, Republic of Korea, from 15 to 26 November 2010, has been extended until *Friday, 17 September 2010*. Applications are being accepted from candidates from Member States of the United Nations which are also members of the regional group of Asian States.

The regional course will be conducted in English. For further information, including application forms, please consult the Regional Course Web site <www.un.org/law/rcil/asia>; or contact the Codification Division (e-mail rcil-asia@un.org).

Security Council**Communications to the President of the Security Council**

Communications addressed to the President of the Security Council should be delivered to the Offices of the Security Council Secretariat Branch (room 08083, 730 Third Avenue (between 45th and 46th Streets); tel. 1 (212) 963-5258).

Web site of the presidency

The Web site of the presidency of the Security Council can be visited at <www.un.org/sc/presidency.asp>.

Recorded information

Recorded information about previously unscheduled meetings and consultations of the whole of the Security Council may be obtained by calling 1 (212) 963-8530, or by clicking on "Daily Programme" on the Web site of the Security Council <www.un.org/Docs/sc>.

Prepared statements

Speakers in the Security Council are advised that providing in advance copies of prepared statements which they intend to read out in the Council greatly facilitates the work of the Secretariat by permitting a sufficient number of copies to be distributed to all meeting participants and by assisting interpreters, verbatim reporters and press officers in maintaining the quality of the product delivered. Both interpretations and verbatim records rely upon the statement actually delivered, but copies of texts help interpreters to correctly render details and nuances and help verbatim reporters to produce the written record more quickly. Speakers are therefore encouraged, whenever possible, to provide copies of their statements, as early as possible in advance of delivery, to the Conference Officer in the Chamber.

Delegations are kindly requested to make 40 copies for minimum distribution to Council members and relevant services, and 200 additional copies for general distribution in the Security Council Chamber.

Delegations wishing to make statements available for the media are kindly requested to deliver 50 copies to the Media Documents Centre (e-mail mdc@un.org; tel. 1 (212) 963-7166; room SA-1B12).

Access to back issues of the *Journal of the United Nations*

Back issues of the *Journal of the United Nations*, in English and French, can be accessed at the following addresses: <www.un.org/en/documents/journal.asp> and <www.un.org/fr/documents/journal.asp>.

All comments and suggestions about the *Journal* are welcomed. Kindly contact the office of the *Journal* at journal@un.org.

Summary of official meetings

Thursday, 9 September 2010

Security Council

6380th meeting (closed) *Meeting of the Security Council with the troop- and police-contributing countries pursuant to resolution 1353 (2001), annex II, sections A and B*

United Nations Stabilization Mission in Haiti

The Security Council met in private. At the close of the meeting, the following communiqué was issued by the Secretary-General in accordance with rule 55 of the provisional rules of procedure of the Council:

“On 9 September 2010, the Security Council, pursuant to annex II, sections A and B of resolution 1353 (2001), held its 6380th meeting in private with the troop- and police-contributing countries to the United Nations Stabilization Mission in Haiti.

“The Security Council and the troop- and police-contributing countries heard a briefing under rule 39 of its provisional rules of procedure by Mr. Farid Zarif, Director of the Europe and Latin American Division of the Department of Peacekeeping Operations.

“Members of the Council, Mr. Zarif and representatives of participating troop- and police-contributing countries had an exchange of views.”

6381st meeting

Election of a member of the International Court of Justice (S/2010/442, S/2010/443 and S/2010/444)

The agenda was adopted without objection.

The delegations of Bosnia and Herzegovina and Lebanon were selected, by the drawing of lots by the President, to serve as tellers.

On the first ballot, Ms. Joan E. Donoghue received the required absolute majority of votes in the Security Council.

The President of the Council read out the text of a letter he had received from the President of the General Assembly, communicating the result of the voting held at the 118th plenary meeting of the General Assembly.

Having received the required absolute majority of votes both in the Security Council and in the General Assembly, Ms. Joan E. Donoghue was elected as a member of the International Court of Justice for a term of office ending 5 February 2015.

General Assembly

Sixty-fourth session

118th plenary meeting *Election of a member of the International Court of Justice* [110 (c)]

(a) *Memorandum by the Secretary-General (A/64/899-S/2010/442)*

(b) *Note by the Secretary-General (A/64/900-S/2010/443)*

(c) *Curriculum vitae (A/64/901-S/2010/444)*

The President informed the General Assembly that he had received information about additional submissions from a national group.

The General Assembly decided to adopt the same procedure as practiced at the 44th plenary meeting of its sixtieth session, on 7 November 2005, should more than the required number of candidates obtained an absolute majority of votes on the same ballot.

On the first ballot, one candidate, Ms. Joan E. Donoghue (United States) (159 votes), obtained an absolute majority of votes.

The President of the General Assembly read out a letter he had received from the President of the Security Council, communicating the result of the voting held at the 6381st meeting of the Security Council.

Having obtained an absolute majority of votes in both the General Assembly and the Security Council, Ms. Joan E. Donoghue (United States) was declared elected a member of the International Court of Justice for a term of office commencing 9 September 2010 and ending on 5 February 2015.

The representative of the Islamic Republic of Iran made a statement on a point of order.

The General Assembly thus concluded its consideration of sub-item (c) of agenda item 110.

119th plenary meeting *The situation in the occupied territories of Azerbaijan: draft resolution (A/64/L.57)* [18]

The representative of Azerbaijan made a statement, in the course of which he withdrew draft resolution A/64/L.57.

The General Assembly decided to defer consideration of agenda item 18 and to include it in the draft agenda of the sixty-fifth session.

The General Assembly thus concluded its consideration of agenda item 18.

120th plenary meeting *Request for an advisory opinion of the International Court of Justice on whether the unilateral declaration of independence of Kosovo is in accordance with international law* [77]

(a) *Note by the Secretary-General (A/64/881)*

(b) *Draft resolution (A/64/L.65/Rev.1)*

The representative of Serbia made a statement on a point of order.

H.E. Mr. Vuk Jeremić, Minister for Foreign Affairs of Serbia, made a statement, in the course of which he introduced draft resolution A/64/L.65/Rev.1.

Statements were made by the representatives of Azerbaijan, the Bolivarian Republic of Venezuela and Argentina.

The General Assembly decided to waive the relevant provision of rule 78 of the rules of procedure, in order to proceed immediately to the consideration of draft resolution A/64/L.65/Rev.1.

The General Assembly adopted draft resolution A/64/L.65/Rev.1 (resolution 64/298).

Statements in explanation of vote after the vote were made by the representatives of the United States, Turkey, Brazil, the Russian Federation, China, India, Peru, Albania, Fiji, Indonesia and the Islamic Republic of Iran.

The General Assembly thus concluded its consideration of agenda item 77.

Economic and Social Council

Resumed substantive session of 2010

48th meeting *Adoption of the agenda and other organizational matters.* [1]

The Council resumed its consideration of the item.

Oral decision

Upon the proposal of the President (Malaysia), the Council adopted an oral draft decision entitled "Procedures for the election of the members of the Executive Board of the United Nations Entity for Gender Equality and the Empowerment of Women (UN Women)".

Organization of work

A statement was made by the President.

Signatures, Ratifications, etc.

[Multilateral Treaties Deposited with the Secretary-General]

International Tropical Timber Agreement, 2006. Geneva, 27 January 2006

Signature: Brazil (9 September 2010)

United Nations Convention against Transnational Organized Crime. New York, 15 November 2000

Territorial application to the Netherlands Antilles with notifications under articles 16 (5) and 18 (13): Netherlands (9 September 2010)¹

¹Date of receipt of the relevant documents.

Treaty Event

Multilateral Treaty Framework: An invitation to universal participation

2010 Treaty Event: Towards universal participation and implementation

United Nations Headquarters (21–23 and 27–28 September 2010)

It is recalled that a series of successful treaty events have been held annually at the Headquarters of the United Nations commencing with the Millennium Summit in 2000. This year, the annual treaty event will be held from Tuesday, 21, to Thursday, 23 September, and on Monday, 27, and Tuesday, 28 September 2010, at United Nations Headquarters, to coincide with the general debate of the sixty-fifth session of the General Assembly.

The Event, entitled “2010 Treaty Event: Towards universal participation and implementation”, provides a distinct opportunity for States to demonstrate their continuing commitment to the central role of the rule of law in international relations. This year’s event will highlight treaties of global reach such as human rights, terrorism, penal matters, disarmament, climate change and the protection of United Nations personnel. In particular, this year will highlight a theme which celebrates and safeguards life on earth, biodiversity. 2010 marks the International Year of Biodiversity; it also marks the start of the United Nations Decade for Deserts and the Fight against Desertification, another global issue requiring a global response.

The list of treaties being highlighted this year has been circulated by depositary notification C.N.243.2010.TREATIES-3 of 28 April 2010. As is customary, it will be possible to undertake treaty actions with regard to any treaty deposited with the Secretary-General during the treaty event. Necessary facilities, including media coverage, will be made available for treaty actions to be undertaken in a solemn setting.

Delegations intending to sign or deposit instruments of ratification, acceptance, approval or accession relating to multilateral treaties deposited with the Secretary-General during the treaty event may wish to inform their Governments accordingly for the purpose of completing the requisite domestic procedures.

Under established international practice, only Heads of State, Heads of Government or Ministers for Foreign Affairs are empowered, by virtue of their functions, to sign treaties on behalf of States without having to produce full powers to that effect. All other representatives wishing to sign treaties must be in possession of appropriate full powers, which expressly authorize signature of specified treaties by a named representative issued and signed by one of these authorities. Likewise, instruments of ratification, acceptance, approval or accession must be issued and signed by the same authorities.

The Secretary-General would be obliged if States wishing to sign, ratify or accede to any of the treaties could notify and provide copies of full powers/instruments in advance to the Treaty Section.

Further information concerning the 2010 Treaty Event is available on the United Nations Treaty Collection Web site <treaties.un.org> and at the Treaty Section, Office of Legal Affairs (tel. 1 (212) 963-5047). Information concerning the requirements for full powers and the deposit of instruments of ratification, acceptance, approval or accession (including model instruments) can be found in the *Treaty Handbook*, which is also available on the United Nations Treaty Collection Web site.

International Cocoa Agreement, 2001**Geneva, 25 June 2010****Opening for signature**

In accordance with its article 54, the above Agreement shall be open for signature in New York from 1 October 2010 until 30 September 2012, by parties to the International Cocoa Agreement, 2001, and Governments invited to the United Nations Conference, 2010.

Certified true copies of the Agreement, of which the Arabic, Chinese, English, French, Russian and Spanish texts are equally authentic, will be prepared and will be transmitted to all States as soon as possible.

The Secretary-General takes this opportunity to recall that, under established international practice, only Heads of State, Heads of Government or Ministers for Foreign Affairs are empowered by virtue of their functions, to sign a treaty on behalf of a State without having to produce full powers to that effect. Other representatives wishing to sign a treaty must be in possession of appropriate full powers, which expressly authorize signature of a specific treaty by a named representative issued and signed by one of these authorities. Full powers are distinct from credentials. Credentials alone are not adequate for the purpose of signing a treaty.

The Secretary-General would be obliged if States wishing to sign the Agreement could notify, and provide copies of the required full powers in advance to the Treaty Section, Office of Legal Affairs (380 Madison Avenue, New York; e-mail depositoryCN@un.org; tel. 1 (212) 963-5047; fax 1 (212) 963-3693).

For more information on full powers and a model instrument of full powers, please refer to the *Treaty Handbook* on the United Nations Treaty Collection Web site, which can be accessed at the following address treaties.un.org.

General information

Chairs of the regional groups

The following information regarding the chairmanship of the regional groups for the month of *September 2010* has been communicated to the Secretariat:

African States:

Lesotho

H.E. Mr. Motlatsi Ramafole

Asian States:

Republic of Korea
H.E. Mr. Park In-Kook

Eastern European States:

Bulgaria
H.E. Mr. Rayko S. Raychev

Latin American and Caribbean States:

Suriname
H.E. Mr. Henry Leonard Mac-Donald

Western European and other States:

Denmark
H.E. Mr. Carsten Staur

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Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 1373 (2001) concerning counter-terrorism:

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Office for Disarmament Affairs:

www.un.org/disarmament

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A/65/175/Add.1	Item 109 of the provisional agenda — Measures to eliminate international terrorism — Report of the Secretary-General — Chile [A C E F R S] — 1 page
A/65/273	Item 69 (b) of the provisional agenda — Promotion and protection of human rights: human rights questions, including alternative approaches for improving the effective enjoyment of human rights and fundamental freedoms — Note by the Secretary-General [A C E F R S] — 23 pages
A/65/277	Item 54 of the provisional agenda — Questions relating to information — Report of the Secretary-General [A C E F R S] — 24 pages

- A/65/286 Item 68 of the provisional agenda — Right of peoples to self-determination — Report of the Secretary-General [A C E F R S] — 10 pages
- A/65/287 Item 69 (b) of the provisional agenda — Promotion and protection of human rights: human rights questions, including alternative approaches for improving the effective enjoyment of human rights and fundamental freedoms — Effective promotion of the Declaration on the Rights of Persons Belonging to National or Ethnic, Religious and Linguistic Minorities — Note by the Secretary-General [A C E F R S] — 23 pages

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- S/PV.6377 Meeting held on 7 September 2010, 10 a.m. [A C E F R S] — 8 pages
- S/PV.6378 Meeting held on 7 September 2010, 3 p.m. [A C E F R S] — 12 pages
- S/PV.6379 Meeting held on 8 September 2010, 10 a.m. [A C E F R S] — 5 pages

Economic and Social Council**Documents**

**Committee of Experts on International
Cooperation in Tax Matters
Sixth session**

- E/C.18/2010/6 Item 3 (j) of the provisional agenda — Discussion of substantive issues related to international cooperation in tax matters definition of permanent establishment: proposed revised article 5 commentary — Proposed new commentary on article 5: paragraphs 15.14 to 15.37 — Note by the Working Group on Definition of Permanent Establishment [A C E F R S] — 16 pages

**United Nations Children's Fund
Executive Board
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- Item 8 of the provisional agenda — Internal Audit activities in 2009 — Annual report to the Executive Board [A C E F R S] — 2 pages

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Official meetings

Tuesday, 14 September 2010

General Assembly

Sixty-fourth session

- 11 a.m. 122nd plenary meeting General Assembly Hall
1. Strengthening of the United Nations system: draft resolution (A/64/L.67) [120]
 2. Closing of the sixty-fourth session of the General Assembly

General Assembly

Sixty-fifth session

- 3 p.m. 1st plenary meeting General Assembly Hall
1. Opening of the session by the President of the General Assembly
 2. Minute of silent prayer or meditation
 3. Organization of work of the sixty-fifth regular session of the General Assembly: letter from the Chairman of the Committee on Conferences (A/65/337)

General Assembly

Sixty-fifth session

General Committee

The 1st meeting of the General Committee will be held on Wednesday, 15 September 2010, at 10 a.m. in Conference Room 4 (NLB) (see p. 4).

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General Assembly

Sixty-fifth session

Informal consultations on the provisional agenda item 75 (b) (Oceans and the law of the sea: Sustainable fisheries)

10 a.m.–1 p.m. Closed meeting Conference Room 6 (NLB)
 3–6 p.m. Closed meeting Conference Room 6 (NLB)

General Assembly

Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions

10 a.m.–1 p.m. Closed meeting Conference Room 10 (NLB)
 3–6 p.m. Closed meeting Conference Room 10 (NLB)
 Human resources management

Economic and Social Council

Informal “informal” consultations

Informal “informal” consultations, convened by the presidency of the Economic and Social Council (Malaysia) and facilitated by Mr. Zahid Rastam, on the process leading up to the election and on the method of election of the members of the newly established Executive Board of the United Nations Entity for Gender Equality and the Empowerment of Women (UN Women), will take place *today*, 14 September 2010, from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. in Conference Room 7 (NLB).

Security announcement

A briefing for delegations regarding security arrangements for the high-level meetings and the general debate of the sixty-fifth session of the General Assembly (20–30 September 2010) will take place on Thursday, 16 September 2010, at 10 a.m. in Conference Room 4 (NLB). *Permanent and observer missions are urged to be represented at the briefing.*

Other meetings

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Tuesday, 14 September 2010

Group of 77 (on the Ministerial Declaration)

10 a.m.–1 p.m. Closed meeting Conference Room 4 (NLB)

Group of 77 (on oceans and the law of the sea)

1.15–2.30 p.m. Closed meeting Conference Room E (NLB)

Group of 77 (Fifth Committee matters)

3–6 p.m. Closed meeting Conference Room 5 (NLB)

Group of the Least Developed Countries (on the Ministerial Declaration) (at the expert level)

10.30 a.m.–1 p.m. Closed meeting Conference Room 3 (NLB)

African Group (Fifth Committee experts)

1.15–2.30 p.m. Closed meeting Conference Room 7 (NLB)

Group of Friends of the International Criminal Court (at the level of legal advisers)

1.15–2.30 p.m. Closed meeting Conference Room 3 (NLB)

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Press conferences

The schedule below is tentative; up-to-date information can be obtained at <www.un.org/News/press/conf.htm>.

Tuesday, 14 September 2010

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12 noon Press briefing by the Spokesperson

4 p.m. H.E. Mr. Joseph Deiss (Switzerland), President of the sixty-fifth session of the General Assembly

Forthcoming official meetings

Wednesday, 15 September 2010

General Assembly

Sixty-fifth session

General Committee

10 a.m. 1st meeting (closed) Conference Room 4 (NLB)

Organization of work of the sixty-fifth session of the General Assembly, adoption of the agenda and allocation of items: memorandum of the Secretary-General (A/BUR/65/1)¹

¹To be issued.

General Assembly

Sixty-fifth session

High-level Plenary Meeting of the General Assembly

(20–22 September 2010)

All delegations wishing to participate in the round tables are kindly requested to inscribe with the List of Speakers, *in writing*, by facsimile (1 (212) 963-3783) or e-mail (muturi@un.org and heddachem@un.org), indicating the name and the level of the participant. Inscription, on a first-come, first-served basis, is open.

As stipulated in resolution 64/184 of 21 December 2009 (A/RES/64/184), the six round tables will be held as follows:

Monday, 20 September:

From 10 a.m. to 1 p.m.

Round table 1 — Addressing the challenge of poverty, hunger and gender equality

From 3 to 6 p.m.

Round table 2 — Meeting the goals of health and education*Tuesday, 21 September:*

From 10 a.m. to 1 p.m.

Round table 3 — Promoting sustainable development

From 3 to 6 p.m.

Round table 4 — Addressing emerging issues and evolving approaches*Wednesday, 22 September:*

From 10 a.m. to 1 p.m.

Round table 5 — Addressing the special needs of the most vulnerable

From 2 to 5 p.m.

Round table 6 — Widening and strengthening partnerships

For each regional group, the distribution of its members for participation in each round-table session will be as follows:

- (a) African States: ten Member States
- (b) Asian States: ten Member States
- (c) Eastern European States: five Member States
- (d) Latin American and Caribbean States: seven Member States
- (e) Western European and other States: six Member States

Each delegation may only participate in one round table and thus may wish to indicate three preferences when inscribing on the list.

Main Committees

Special Political and Decolonization Committee (Fourth Committee)

The Special Political and Decolonization Committee (Fourth Committee) will hold its 1st meeting on Thursday, 30 September 2010, from 10 to 11.30 a.m. in Conference Room 4 (NLB). The Committee will begin its consideration of the cluster of items on decolonization on Monday, 4 October, at 3 p.m. in Conference Room 4 (NLB). The proposed programme of work and timetable of the Committee is contained in document A/64/414.

Delegations are also reminded that the names of their representatives, alternates and advisers to the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (Fourth Committee) are to be submitted to Ms. Emer Herity, Secretary of the Committee (room IN-613C; fax 1 (212) 963-5305).

Background information on the Committee is available and accessible to Member States and Permanent Observers at <<https://4thcommittee.unlb.org>>. For inquiries regarding user names and passwords, kindly contact Mr. Dino Del Vasto (e-mail del-vasto@un.org).

Second Committee

Organizational meeting

The Second Committee will hold its 1st meeting on Friday, 17 September 2010, at 3 p.m. in Conference Room 2 (NLB), to elect a Vice-Chair and the Rapporteur for the sixty-fifth session of the General Assembly, and to consider its proposed organization of work, which will be issued as document A/C.2/65/L.1.

General debate

The Second Committee will begin its general debate on Monday, 4 October 2010, at 10 a.m. in the Economic and Social Council Chamber (NLB). The Under-Secretary-General for Economic and Social Affairs, Mr. Sha Zukang, and a keynote speaker will address the Committee.

List of speakers

The list of speakers for the general debate is open. Delegations wishing to be inscribed are requested to contact Ms. Mary Constable, *in writing* (e-mail constablem@un.org), indicating the full name and title of the speaker.

Delegations are reminded that during the general debate, in accordance with past practice of the Second Committee, a time limit of 10 minutes for delegations speaking in their national capacity and 15 minutes for those speaking on behalf of groups should be observed. The list of speakers will be prepared on the basis of this time limit.

Composition of delegations

Delegations are reminded that the names of representatives, alternate representatives and advisers should be submitted, *as soon as possible*, to the Secretary of the Second Committee, Ms. Jennifer de Laurentis (e-mail 2ndcommittee@un.org; room IN-622 or NL-1033). Please note that only scanned copies of notes verbales or form A/INF/65/2 will be accepted by e-mail.

Third Committee*Informal briefing*

Pursuant to paragraph 3 (h) of the annex to General Assembly resolution 58/316, the Chair of the Third Committee for the sixty-fifth session of the General Assembly, H.E. Mr. Michel Tommo Monthe (Cameroon), will hold an informal briefing on the organization of work of the Committee (A/C.3/65/L.1) on Thursday, 16 September 2010, at 3 p.m. in Conference Room 1 (NLB).

List of speakers

The Committee will begin its work on Monday, 4 October, at 10 a.m. The list of speakers for the general discussion on all items of the Third Committee will open on Wednesday, 22 September 2010.

Participants

Delegations that have not communicated the composition of their delegation to the Third Committee are reminded to convey such information to the Acting Secretary of the Committee, Mr. Otto Gustafik (c/o Mr. Paolo Dua (e-mail 3rdcommittee@un.org; room NL-1033 or IN-620C)). Please note that only scanned copies of notes verbales or form A/INF/65/2* will be accepted by e-mail.

General Assembly**Special Committee on Peacekeeping Operations***Informal briefing*

There will be an informal briefing by the Department of Peacekeeping Operations to members of the Special Committee on Thursday, 16 September 2010, at 3 p.m. in *Conference Room 2 (NLB)*. The briefing will provide a progress update on the Special Committee's request to develop a strategic framework containing elements and parameters for mission-specific strategies to guide senior mission leadership in elaborating a comprehensive protection strategy, in accordance with paragraph 149 of the Special Committee's report (A/64/19).

United Nations Convention on the Law of the Sea**Meeting of States Parties****Working Group of the Bureau**

The informal Working Group of the Bureau of the Meeting of States Parties to the United Nations Convention on the Law of the Sea will hold its 9th meeting on the workload of the Commission on the Limits of the Continental Shelf, on Friday, 17 September 2010, from 1.15 to 2.45 p.m. in Conference Room 6 (NLB).

General Assembly Security Council

Peacebuilding Commission

Fourth session

Organizational Committee

A formal meeting (open) of the Organizational Committee of the Peacebuilding Commission will be held on Thursday, 16 September 2010, at 11 a.m. in Conference Room 2 (NLB). An informal meeting (open) will be held immediately following the adjournment of the formal meeting.

Other forthcoming meetings

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Group of Friends of the International Criminal Court (at the level of permanent representatives)

Wednesday, 15 September 2010, from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. in Conference Room 7 (NLB).

Briefing for Sixth Committee delegates on the Committee items on the provisional agenda of the sixty-fifth session of the General Assembly (Web site <www.un.org/ga/sixth>)

Wednesday, 15 September 2010, from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. in Conference Room 5 (NLB).

UNITAR briefings for new delegates to the General Assembly

General briefing on the work of the sixty-fifth session of the General Assembly

Wednesday, 15 September 2010, from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. and from 3 to 6 p.m. in Conference Room 3 (NLB);

Thursday, 16 September 2010, from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. and from 3 to 6 p.m. in Conference Room 3 (NLB);

Special briefing on the work of the Second Committee

Friday, 17 September 2010, from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. in Conference Room 3 (NLB);

Special briefing on the work of the Third Committee

Friday, 17 September 2010, from 3 to 6 p.m. in Conference Room 3 (NLB); and

Special briefing on the work of the Fifth Committee

Friday, 17 September 2010, from 3 to 6 p.m. in Conference Room D (NLB).

[For further information, please contact Ms. Soukeyna Fall, UNITAR (e-mail falls@un.org; tel. 1 (212) 963-9196).]

Informal consultations on item 38 (The situation in Afghanistan) of the provisional agenda of the sixty-fifth session of the General Assembly (organized by the Permanent Mission of Germany)

Thursday, 16 September 2010, from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. in Conference Room 7 (NLB).

Association of Southeast Asian Nations–Gulf Cooperation Council (ASEAN-GCC) (ministerial meeting)

Tuesday, 21 September 2010, from 10 to 11.30 a.m. in Conference Room C (NLB).

Forthcoming other activities

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Women's International Forum: Meeting on "Gender equality and the empowerment of women" (sponsored by the Executive Office of the Secretary-General)

Thursday, 16 September 2010, from 11 a.m. to 12.30 p.m. in Conference Room 1 (NLB).

[Delegates and Secretariat staff are invited to attend.]

Prayer service on the occasion of the opening of the sixty-fifth session of the General Assembly (organized by the Permanent Observer Mission of the Holy See and the Archdiocese of New York)

Thursday, 16 September 2010, at 6 p.m., at the Church of the Holy Family (315 East 47th Street).

[All are invited to attend. For further information, please contact the Permanent Observer Mission of the Holy See (tel. 1 (212) 370-7885).]

Launch of the revised Pakistan Floods Emergency Response Plan by the Secretary-General, the Permanent Representative of Pakistan and the Under-Secretary-General for Humanitarian Affairs and Emergency Relief Coordinator

Friday, 17 September 2010, at 3.15 p.m. in the Economic and Social Council Chamber (NLB).

[Permanent and observers missions are invited to attend. For further information, please contact Ms. Mervat Shelbaya, OCHA (e-mail shelbaya@un.org; tel. 1 (212) 963 4533).]

Briefing on the negotiations under the United Nations Framework Convention on Climate Change (UNFCCC) (co-organized by the Permanent Mission of Mexico, the UNFCCC Secretariat and the Executive Office of the Secretary-General)

Tuesday, 21 September 2010, from 1.15 to 2.15 p.m. in Conference Room 2 (NLB).

[All delegations are invited to attend. Confirmation of participation, as well as queries related to this event, may be directed to the e-mail address ccst@un.org.]

Forthcoming official meetings held away from Headquarters

Economic and Social Council

Committee of Experts on International Cooperation in Tax Matters

Sixth session

United Nations Office at Geneva

In accordance with Economic and Social Council decision 2010/257 of 23 July 2010, the sixth session of the Committee of Experts on International Cooperation in Tax Matters will be held from Monday, 18, to Friday, 22 October 2010, at the Palais des Nations in Geneva.

Background materials, including the provisional agenda and organization of work, are available on the Financing for Development Web site at the following address: www.un.org/esa/ffd/tax/sixthsession/.

For further information, please contact the Acting Secretary of the Committee, Mr. Michael Lennard (e-mail taxffdoffice@un.org; tel. 1 (917) 367-5734).

Announcements

Side events on the occasion of the High-level Plenary Meeting of the sixty-fifth session of the General Assembly

Delegations and other interested parties are invited to submit their proposed side events for inclusion in the calendar of partnership events to be held in conjunction with the High-level Plenary Meeting. Please use the online form on the official Web site of the High-level Plenary Meeting www.un.org/en/mdg/summit2010/events.shtml. Information on where to submit requests for rooms is also available on the official Web site. For further information, please send an e-mail to hlpmevents@un.org. The tentative list of side events is now available on the official Web site.

United Nations Regional Course in International Law

The deadline for applications for the United Nations Regional Course in International Law, scheduled to be held at Seoul National University, Republic of Korea, from 15 to 26 November 2010, has been extended until *Friday, 17 September 2010*. Applications are being accepted from candidates from Member States of the United Nations which are also members of the regional group of Asian States.

The regional course will be conducted in English. For further information, including application forms, please consult the Regional Course Web site <www.un.org/law/rcil/asia>; or contact the Codification Division (e-mail rcil-asia@un.org).

Security Council**Communications to the President of the Security Council**

Communications addressed to the President of the Security Council should be delivered to the Offices of the Security Council Secretariat Branch (room 08083, 730 Third Avenue (between 45th and 46th Streets); tel. 1 (212) 963-5258).

Web site of the presidency

The Web site of the presidency of the Security Council can be visited at <www.un.org/sc/presidency.asp>.

Recorded information

Recorded information about previously unscheduled meetings and consultations of the whole of the Security Council may be obtained by calling 1 (212) 963-8530, or by clicking on "Daily Programme" on the Web site of the Security Council <www.un.org/Docs/sc>.

Prepared statements

Speakers in the Security Council are advised that providing in advance copies of prepared statements which they intend to read out in the Council greatly facilitates the work of the Secretariat by permitting a sufficient number of copies to be distributed to all meeting participants and by assisting interpreters, verbatim reporters and press officers in maintaining the quality of the product delivered. Both interpretations and verbatim records rely upon the statement actually delivered, but copies of texts help interpreters to correctly render details and nuances and help verbatim reporters to produce the written record more quickly. Speakers are therefore encouraged, whenever possible, to provide copies of their statements, as early as possible in advance of delivery, to the Conference Officer in the Chamber.

Delegations are kindly requested to make 40 copies for minimum distribution to Council members and relevant services, and 200 additional copies for general distribution in the Security Council Chamber.

Delegations wishing to make statements available for the media are kindly requested to deliver 50 copies to the Media Documents Centre (e-mail mdc@un.org; tel. 1 (212) 963-7166; room SA-1B12).

Access to back issues of the *Journal of the United Nations*

Back issues of the *Journal of the United Nations*, in English and French, can be accessed at the following addresses: <www.un.org/en/documents/journal.asp> and <www.un.org/fr/documents/journal.asp>.

All comments and suggestions about the *Journal* are welcomed. Kindly contact the office of the *Journal* at journal@un.org.

Summary of official meetings

Monday, 13 September 2010

Security Council

6382nd meeting

The question concerning Haiti

Report of the Secretary General on the United Nations Stabilization Mission in Haiti S/2010/446

The agenda was adopted without objection.

The President, with the consent of the Council, extended an invitation to the representatives of Argentina, Canada, Chile, Colombia, Haiti, Norway, Peru and Uruguay, at their request, to participate in the consideration of the item without the right to vote, in accordance with the relevant provisions of the Charter and rule 37 of the Council's provisional rules of procedure.

In accordance with the understanding reached in the Council's prior consultations, the President, with the consent of the Council, extended an invitation under rule 39 of the Council's provisional rules of procedure to Mr. Edmond Mulet, Special Representative of the Secretary-General and Head of the United Nations Stabilization Mission in Haiti.

In accordance with the understanding reached in the Council's prior consultations, the President, with the consent of the Council, extended invitations under rule 39 of the Council's provisional rules of procedure to Mr. Peter Schwager, Deputy Head of the Delegation of the European Union to the United Nations.

The Council began its consideration of the item on the agenda and heard a briefing by Mr. Mulet.

The Council heard a statement by the representative of Haiti.

Statements were made by the representatives of the United States, Brazil, France, Gabon, Mexico, Nigeria, China, the Russian Federation, Japan, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Lebanon, Austria, Uganda and the United Kingdom, and by the President, speaking in his capacity as representative of Turkey.

The Council heard a statement by the representative of Uruguay (speaking on behalf of the *Group of Friends of Haiti*).

The Council heard a statement by Mr. Peter Schwaiger (speaking on behalf of the European Union; the candidate country Turkey; the countries of the Stabilization and Association Process and potential candidates Albania, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Montenegro and Serbia; as well as Ukraine, the Republic of Moldova and Georgia, which aligned with this statement).

The Council heard statements by the representatives of Canada, Colombia, Peru, Chile, Argentina and Norway.

The representative of Haiti made a further statement.

General Assembly

Sixty-fourth session

121st plenary meeting

Prevention of armed conflict [13]

The General Assembly decided to defer consideration of item 13 and to include it in the draft agenda of its sixty-fifth session.

The General Assembly thus concluded its consideration of agenda item 13.

Question of Cyprus [21]

Armed aggression against the Democratic Republic of the Congo [22]

Question of the Falkland Islands (Malvinas) [23]

The situation of democracy and human rights in Haiti [24]

Armed Israeli aggression against the Iraqi nuclear installations and its grave consequences for the established international system concerning the peaceful uses of nuclear energy, the non-proliferation of nuclear weapons and international peace and security [25]

Consequences of the Iraqi occupation of and aggression against Kuwait [26]

The General Assembly decided to include items 21 to 26 in the draft agenda of the sixty-fifth session, in accordance with resolution 58/316 of 1 July 2004.

The General Assembly thus concluded its consideration of agenda items 21 to 26.

Integrated and coordinated implementation of and follow-up to the outcomes of the major United Nations conferences and summits in the economic, social and related fields; and Follow-up to the outcome of the Millennium Summit: draft resolution (A/64/L.72) [48 and 114]

The General Assembly resumed its consideration of agenda items 48 and 114.

The General Assembly adopted draft resolution A/64/L.72 (resolution 64/299).

Statements in explanation of vote after the vote were made by the representatives of Yemen (on behalf of the Group of 77 and China), the Bolivarian Republic of Venezuela, the Islamic Republic of Iran, Colombia and Cuba.

The General Assembly decided to continue to dedicate a specific meeting focused on development, including an assessment of progress over the previous year, at each session of the General Assembly during the debate on the follow-up to the Millennium Declaration and the 2005 World Summit Outcome.

The General Assembly thus concluded its consideration of agenda items 48 and 114.

Follow-up to and implementation of the outcome of the 2002 International Conference on Financing for Development and the 2008 Review Conference: progress report of the Ad Hoc Open-ended Working Group (A/64/884) [52]

The General Assembly resumed its consideration of agenda item 52.

The General Assembly took note of the report of the Ad Hoc Open-ended Working Group (A/64/884).

The President informed the Assembly that the representative of the Group of 77 and China had expressed their wish to continue with the work of the Working Group at the sixty-fifth session of the General Assembly.

The General Assembly thus concluded its consideration of agenda item 52.

Follow-up to and implementation of the Mauritius Strategy for the Further Implementation of the Programme of Action for the Sustainable Development of Small Island Developing States [53 (b)]

(a) Draft resolution (A/64/L.68)

(b) Draft decision (A/64/L.71)

The General Assembly resumed its consideration of sub-item (b) of agenda item 53.

The President made a statement, in the course of which he orally corrected draft decision A/64/L.71.

The General Assembly adopted draft resolution A/64/L.68 (resolution 64/300).

The General Assembly adopted draft decision A/64/L.71, as orally corrected.

The representative of Grenada made a statement in explanation of vote after the vote.

The General Assembly thus concluded its consideration of sub-item (b) of agenda item 53.

Convention on Biological Diversity: draft decision (A/64/L.70) [53 (f)]

The General Assembly resumed its consideration of sub-item (f) of agenda item 53.

The General Assembly adopted draft decision A/64/L.70.

The General Assembly thus concluded its consideration of sub-item (f) of agenda item 53.

Revitalization of the work of the General Assembly: report of the Ad Hoc Working Group on the Revitalization of the General Assembly (A/64/903) [118]

The General Assembly adopted the draft resolution contained in paragraph 64 of the report of the Ad Hoc Working Group on the Revitalization of the General Assembly (A/64/903) (resolution 64/301).

The General Assembly thus concluded its consideration of agenda item 118.

Question of equitable representation on and increase in the membership of the Security Council and related matters [119]

The General Assembly resumed its consideration of agenda item 119.

The representative of India made a statement on a point of order.

The General Assembly decided:

- (a) to immediately continue intergovernmental negotiations on Security Council reform in informal plenary of the General Assembly at its sixty-fifth session as mandated by General Assembly decisions 62/557 of 15 September 2008 and 63/565 of 14 September 2009, building on the progress achieved during its sixty-fourth session, as well as the positions of and proposals made by Member States, while noting with appreciation the initiatives and efforts of the President of the General Assembly and the Chair, including the preparation of the text reflecting the positions of and proposals submitted by Member States, with a view to an early comprehensive reform of the Security Council;
- (b) to convene the Open-ended Working Group on the Question of Equitable Representation on and Increase in the Membership of the Security Council and Other Matters related to the Security Council during the sixty-fifth session of the General Assembly if Member States so decide; and
- (c) to include in the agenda of the sixty-fifth session of the General Assembly an item entitled "Question of Equitable Representation on and Increase in the Membership of the Security Council and Other Matters related to the Security Council".

The General Assembly thus concluded its consideration of agenda item 119.

Follow-up to the recommendations on administrative and internal oversight of the Independent Inquiry Committee into the United Nations Oil-for-Food Programme [122]

The General Assembly decided to defer consideration of item 122 and to include it in the draft agenda of its sixty-fifth session.

The General Assembly thus concluded its consideration of agenda item 122.

Financing of the United Nations Mission in East Timor [151]

The General Assembly decided to defer consideration of item 151 and to include it in the draft agenda of its sixty-fifth session.

The General Assembly thus concluded its consideration of agenda item 151.

The President reminded the General Assembly that the following agenda items, on which action had been taken at previous meetings, still remained open for consideration during the sixty-fourth session of the General Assembly: items 9, 10, 15, 16, 20, 49, 53 (d), 64, 70 (a), 96, 106 to 108, 111 (a) and (e), 112 (f) and (i), 121, 123, 127 to 150, 152 to 163 and 172.

The President recalled that these items had been included in the provisional agenda of the sixty-fifth session of the General Assembly with the exception of sub-item (e) of agenda item 111, sub-item (i) of agenda item 112, items 121, 131, 132, 141, 145 and 147.

The General Assembly thus concluded its consideration of these items at the sixty-fourth session.

The meeting was suspended.

The meeting was resumed.

The General Assembly decided, in view of the ongoing consultations on draft resolution A/64/L.67, to postpone the date of closure of the sixty-fourth session to Tuesday, 14 September 2010.

Signatures, Ratifications, etc.

[Multilateral Treaties Deposited with the Secretary-General]

International Convention for the Suppression of the Financing of Terrorism. New York, 9 December 1999

Objection to the reservation made by Yemen with respect to article 2 (1) (b) upon accession: Italy (9 September 2010)¹

¹ Date of receipt of the relevant documents.

Treaty Event

Multilateral Treaty Framework: An invitation to universal participation

2010 Treaty Event: Towards universal participation and implementation

United Nations Headquarters (21–23 and 27–28 September 2010)

It is recalled that a series of successful treaty events have been held annually at the Headquarters of the United Nations commencing with the Millennium Summit in 2000. This year, the annual treaty event will be held from Tuesday, 21, to Thursday, 23 September, and on Monday, 27, and Tuesday, 28 September 2010, at United Nations Headquarters, to coincide with the general debate of the sixty-fifth session of the General Assembly.

The Event, entitled “2010 Treaty Event: Towards universal participation and implementation”, provides a distinct opportunity for States to demonstrate their continuing commitment to the central role of the rule of law in international relations. This year’s event will highlight treaties of global reach such as human rights, terrorism, penal matters, disarmament, climate change and the protection of United Nations personnel. In particular, this year will highlight a theme which celebrates and safeguards life on earth, biodiversity. 2010 marks the International Year of Biodiversity; it also marks the start of the United Nations Decade for Deserts and the Fight against Desertification, another global issue requiring a global response.

The list of treaties being highlighted this year has been circulated by depositary notification C.N.243.2010.TREATIES-3 of 28 April 2010. As is customary, it will be possible to undertake treaty actions with regard to any treaty deposited with the Secretary-General during the treaty event. Necessary facilities, including media coverage, will be made available for treaty actions to be undertaken in a solemn setting.

Delegations intending to sign or deposit instruments of ratification, acceptance, approval or accession relating to multilateral treaties deposited with the Secretary-General during the treaty event may wish to inform their Governments accordingly for the purpose of completing the requisite domestic procedures.

Under established international practice, only Heads of State, Heads of Government or Ministers for Foreign Affairs are empowered, by virtue of their functions, to sign

treaties on behalf of States without having to produce full powers to that effect. All other representatives wishing to sign treaties must be in possession of appropriate full powers, which expressly authorize signature of specified treaties by a named representative issued and signed by one of these authorities. Likewise, instruments of ratification, acceptance, approval or accession must be issued and signed by the same authorities.

The Secretary-General would be obliged if States wishing to sign, ratify or accede to any of the treaties could notify and provide copies of full powers/instruments in advance to the Treaty Section.

Further information concerning the 2010 Treaty Event is available on the United Nations Treaty Collection Web site <treaties.un.org> and at the Treaty Section, Office of Legal Affairs (tel. 1 (212) 963-5047). Information concerning the requirements for full powers and the deposit of instruments of ratification, acceptance, approval or accession (including model instruments) can be found in the *Treaty Handbook*, which is also available on the United Nations Treaty Collection Web site.

International Cocoa Agreement, 2001

Geneva, 25 June 2010

Opening for signature

In accordance with its article 54, the above Agreement shall be open for signature in New York from 1 October 2010 until 30 September 2012, by parties to the International Cocoa Agreement, 2001, and Governments invited to the United Nations Conference, 2010.

Certified true copies of the Agreement, of which the Arabic, Chinese, English, French, Russian and Spanish texts are equally authentic, will be prepared and will be transmitted to all States as soon as possible.

The Secretary-General takes this opportunity to recall that, under established international practice, only Heads of State, Heads of Government or Ministers for Foreign Affairs are empowered by virtue of their functions, to sign a treaty on behalf of a State without having to produce full powers to that effect. Other representatives wishing to sign a treaty must be in possession of appropriate full powers, which expressly authorize signature of a specific treaty by a named representative issued and signed by one of these authorities. Full powers are distinct from credentials. Credentials alone are not adequate for the purpose of signing a treaty.

The Secretary-General would be obliged if States wishing to sign the Agreement could notify, and provide copies of the required full powers in advance to the Treaty Section, Office of Legal Affairs (380 Madison Avenue, New York; e-mail depositoryCN@un.org; tel. 1 (212) 963-5047; fax 1 (212) 963-3693).

For more information on full powers and a model instrument of full powers, please refer to the *Treaty Handbook* on the United Nations Treaty Collection Web site, which can be accessed at the following address <treaties.un.org>.

General information

Chairs of the regional groups

The following information regarding the chairmanship of the regional groups for the month of *September 2010* has been communicated to the Secretariat:

African States:

Lesotho
H.E. Mr. Motlatsi Ramafole

Asian States:

Republic of Korea
H.E. Mr. Park In-Kook

Eastern European States:

Bulgaria
H.E. Mr. Rayko S. Raytchev

Latin American and Caribbean States:

Suriname
H.E. Mr. Henry Leonard Mac-Donald

Western European and other States:

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H.E. Mr. Carsten Staur

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Wednesday, 15 September 2010

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10 a.m. 6383rd meeting Security Council Chamber GA-TSC-01



1. Adoption of the agenda

2. The situation in Liberia

Twenty-first progress report of the Secretary-General on the United Nations Mission in Liberia (S/2010/429)

Morning¹ 6384th meeting Security Council Chamber GA-TSC-01



1. Adoption of the agenda

2. Non-proliferation

Briefing by the Chair of the Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 1737 (2006)

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General Assembly

Sixty-fifth session

General Committee

10 a.m. 1st meeting (closed) Conference Room 4 (NLB)

Organization of work of the sixty-fifth session of the General Assembly, adoption of the agenda and allocation of items; memorandum of the Secretary-General (A/BUR/65/1)

¹To be held following the adjournment of the 6383rd meeting.



Morning ¹	6385th meeting 	Security Council Chamber GA-TSC-01
	1. Adoption of the agenda	
	2. Letter dated 22 November 2006 from the Secretary-General addressed to the President of the Security Council (S/2006/920)	
	Report of the Secretary-General on the request of Nepal for United Nations assistance in support of its peace process (S/2010/453)	
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	Sudan	
	Other matters	

¹To be held following the adjournment of the 6384th meeting of the Security Council.

²To be held following the adjournment of the 6385th meeting.

Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 1572 (2004) concerning Côte d'Ivoire

3.30 p.m.	Informal consultations (closed)	Conference Room 5 (NLB)
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General Assembly

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Informal consultations on the provisional agenda item 75 (b) (Oceans and the law of the sea: Sustainable fisheries)

3-6 p.m.	Closed meeting	Conference Room 6 (NLB)
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General Assembly

Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions

10 a.m.-1 p.m.	Closed meeting	Conference Room 10 (NLB)
3-6 p.m.	Closed meeting	Conference Room 10 (NLB)
	Human resources management	

General Assembly

Sixty-fifth session

High-level Plenary Meeting of the General Assembly

(20–22 September 2010)

The list of participants in the six round tables for the High-level Plenary Meeting of the General Assembly was sent by facsimile to all permanent representatives and permanent observers on 14 September 2010.

General Assembly

Sixty-fifth session

General debate

(23–25 and 27–30 September 2010)

The list of speakers for the general debate of the sixty-fifth regular session of the General Assembly is now available at the General Assembly Affairs Branch (room NLB-1033). The list of speakers has also been sent by facsimile directly to the permanent missions (Office of the Permanent Representative).

Delegations are reminded that, in accordance with the practice at recent sessions of the General Assembly, a voluntary 15-minute time limit should be observed during the general debate. The list of speakers was prepared on the basis of this 15-minute time limit. To help speakers in the general debate respect the time limit, a mechanism will be installed at the rostrum of the General Assembly Hall.

Security announcement

A briefing for delegations regarding security arrangements for the high-level meetings and the general debate of the sixty-fifth session of the General Assembly (20–30 September 2010) will take place on Thursday, 16 September 2010, at 10 a.m. in Conference Room 4 (NLB). *Permanent and observer missions are urged to be represented at the briefing.*

Other meetings

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Wednesday, 15 September 2010

Briefing for Sixth Committee delegates on the Committee items on the provisional agenda of the sixty-fifth session of the General Assembly (Web site <www.un.org/ga/sixth>)

10 a.m.–1 p.m. Closed meeting Conference Room 5 (NLB)

Group of Friends of the International Criminal Court (at the level of permanent representatives)

10 a.m.–1 p.m. Closed meeting Conference Room 7 (NLB)

Group of 77 (on the Ministerial Declaration)

10 a.m.–1 p.m. Closed meeting Conference Room E (NLB)

OIC Group (at the expert level)

10 a.m.–1 p.m. Closed meeting Conference Room D (NLB)

3–6 p.m. Closed meeting Conference Room D (NLB)

UNITAR briefings for new delegates to the General Assembly: General briefing on the work of the sixty-fifth session of the General Assembly

10 a.m.–1 p.m. Closed meeting Conference Room 2 (NLB)

3–6 p.m. Closed meeting Conference Room 2 (NLB)

Briefing by the delegations of Egypt and China on preparation for the Second Round of Political Consultations between the Ministers for Foreign Affairs of China and African Countries

3–4.30 p.m. Closed meeting Economic and Social Council Chamber (NLB)

Other activities

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Wednesday, 15 September 2010

Panel discussion on "Democracy and the Millennium Development Goals" (on the occasion of the International Day of Democracy) (co-organized by the International Conference of New and Restored Democracy and the Permanent Mission of the Bolivarian Republic of Venezuela)

From 9.30 a.m. to 1 p.m. in the General Assembly Hall 

[All are invited to attend. For further information, please contact Mr. Alfredo Toro, Permanent Mission of the Bolivarian Republic of Venezuela (e-mail venezuela@un.int, tel. 1 (917) 373-6745).]

Briefing for members of the Committee on Information on the high-level events of the General Assembly events taking place next week, and on the priorities of the Secretary-General (organized by the Department of Public Information)

From 4.30 to 5.30 p.m. in Conference Room C (NLB).

[For further information, please contact Mr. Hasan Ferdous, Department of Public Information (e-mail ferdous@un.org; tel. 1 (212) 963-6555).]

Press conferences

The schedule below is tentative; up-to-date information can be obtained at <www.un.org/News/pressg/conf.htm>.

Wednesday, 15 September 2010

Dag Hammarskjöld Library Auditorium 

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| 11 a.m. | United Nations Office for Partnerships (on the Blouin Creative Leadership Summit, to take place in New York from 22 to 23 September 2010) [<i>Participants:</i> Mr. Amir Dossal, Executive Director, United Nations Office for Partnerships; and Ms. Louise Blouin] |
| 12 noon | Press briefing by the Spokesperson [<i>Guest:</i> Ms. Valerie Amos, Under-Secretary-General for Humanitarian Affairs and Emergency Relief Coordinator] |

Forthcoming official meetings

General Assembly

Sixty-fifth session

High-level Plenary Meeting of the General Assembly

(20–22 September 2010)

All delegations wishing to participate in the round tables are kindly requested to inscribe with the List of Speakers, *in writing*, by facsimile (1 (212) 963-3783) or e-mail (muturi@un.org and heddachem@un.org), indicating the name and the level of the participant. Inscription, on a first-come, first-served basis, is open.

As stipulated in resolution 64/184 of 21 December 2009 (A/RES/64/184), the six round tables will be held as follows:

Monday, 20 September:

From 10 a.m. to 1 p.m.

Round table 1 — Addressing the challenge of poverty, hunger and gender equality

From 3 to 6 p.m.

Round table 2 — Meeting the goals of health and education

Tuesday, 21 September:

From 10 a.m. to 1 p.m.

Round table 3 — Promoting sustainable development

From 3 to 6 p.m.

Round table 4 — Addressing emerging issues and evolving approaches

Wednesday, 22 September:

From 10 a.m. to 1 p.m.

Round table 5 — Addressing the special needs of the most vulnerable

From 2 to 5 p.m.

Round table 6 — Widening and strengthening partnerships

For each regional group, the distribution of its members for participation in each round-table session will be as follows:

- (a) African States: ten Member States
- (b) Asian States: ten Member States
- (c) Eastern European States: five Member States
- (d) Latin American and Caribbean States: seven Member States
- (e) Western European and other States: six Member States

Each delegation may only participate in one round table and thus may wish to indicate three preferences when inscribing on the list.

[Note: Delegations and other interested parties are informed that the calendar of partnership events to be held in conjunction with the High-level Plenary Meeting is available at the following address: <www.un.org/en/mdg/summit2010/events.shtml>. Please contact the organizers listed in the calendar about participation in the events.]

High-level meeting as a contribution to the International Year of Biodiversity
(22 September 2010)

All delegations wishing to make a statement in *one* of the thematic panels are kindly requested to inscribe with the List of Speakers, *in writing*, by facsimile (1 (212) 963-3783) or e-mail (muturi@un.org and heddachem@un.org), indicating the name and the level of the participant. Inscription, on a first-come, first-served basis and rearranged in accordance with the established practice of the General Assembly, is open.

As stipulated in decision 64/567 of 13 September 2010 (A/65/L.70), the two consecutive thematic panels will be held from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. and from 3 to 5 p.m. on the theme "The way forward in achieving the three objectives of the Convention on Biological Diversity, and the internationally agreed biodiversity goals and targets" in Conference Room 2 (NLB).

Delegations are requested to submit their statements by e-mail (pga65@un.org), before or after the meeting, for posting on the Web site of the President of the General Assembly.

High-level Review Meeting on the implementation of the Mauritius Strategy for the Further Implementation of the Programme of Action for the Sustainable Development of Small Island Developing States
(24–25 September 2010)

All delegations wishing to make a statement in *one or both* of the round tables are kindly requested to inscribe with the List of Speakers, *in writing*, by facsimile (1 (212) 963-3783) or e-mail (muturi@un.org and heddachem@un.org), indicating the name and the level of the participant. Inscription, on a first-come, first-served basis and rearranged in accordance with the established practice of the General Assembly, is open.

As stipulated in decision 64/567 of 13 September 2010 (A/65/L.70), the two round tables will be held in Conference Room 2 (NLB), as follows:

Friday, 24 September:

From 3 to 6 p.m.

Round table 1 — Reducing vulnerabilities and strengthening resilience of small island developing States

Saturday, 25 September:

From 10 a.m. to 1 p.m.

Round table 2 — Enhancing international support for small island developing States

The interactive dialogue on cross-regional perspectives, to be held from 3 to 6 p.m. on Saturday, 25 September, in Conference Room 2 (NLB), will have no list of speakers.

Delegations are requested to submit their statements by e-mail (pga65@un.org) before or after the meeting for posting on the Web site of the President of the General Assembly.

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Sixty-fifth session

Informal consultations on the provisional agenda item 75 (a) (Oceans and the law of the sea)

Open-ended informal consultations on the draft resolution on agenda item 75 (a) (Oceans and the law of the sea) of the provisional agenda of the sixty-fifth regular session of the General Assembly will be held as follows: Monday, 27 September, from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. and from 2 to 4.30 p.m.; and from Tuesday, 28 September, to Friday, 1 October 2010, from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. and from 3 to 6 p.m. in Conference Room 6 (NLB).

Main Committees

Special Political and Decolonization Committee (Fourth Committee)

The Special Political and Decolonization Committee (Fourth Committee) will hold its 1st meeting on Thursday, 30 September 2010, from 10 to 11.30 a.m. in Conference Room 4 (NLB). The Committee will begin its consideration of the cluster of items on decolonization on Monday, 4 October, at 3 p.m. in Conference Room 4 (NLB). The proposed programme of work and timetable of the Committee is contained in document A/64/414.

Delegations are also reminded that the names of their representatives, alternates and advisers to the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (Fourth Committee) are to be submitted to Ms. Emer Herity, Secretary of the Committee (room IN-613C; fax 1 (212) 963-5305).

Background information on the Committee is available and accessible to Member States and Permanent Observers at <<https://4thcommittee.unlb.org>>. For inquiries regarding user names and passwords, kindly contact Mr. Dino Del Vasto (e-mail del-vasto@un.org).

Second Committee

Organizational meeting

The Second Committee will hold its 1st meeting on Friday, 17 September 2010, at 3 p.m. in Conference Room 2 (NLB), to elect a Vice-Chair and the Rapporteur for the sixty-fifth session of the General Assembly, and to consider its proposed organization of work, which will be issued as document A/C.2/65/L.1.

The Second Committee will begin its work on Monday, 4 October 2010, at 10 a.m. in the Economic and Social Council Chamber (NLB). The general debate of the Committee will begin at 3 p.m. in the Economic and Social Council Chamber (NLB).

List of speakers

The list of speakers for the general debate is open. Delegations wishing to be inscribed are requested to contact Ms. Mary Constable, *in writing* (e-mail constablem@un.org), indicating the full name and title of the speaker.

Delegations are reminded that during the general debate, in accordance with past practice of the Second Committee, a time limit of 10 minutes should be observed, with the understanding that the full texts of the statements can be circulated in the meeting room. The list of speakers will be prepared on the basis of this time limit. Delegations wishing to have the full text of statements circulated should provide 250 copies of the same to the Conference Officers.

Composition of delegations

Delegations are reminded that the names of representatives, alternate representatives and advisers should be submitted, *as soon as possible*, to the Secretary of the Second Committee, Ms. Jennifer de Laurentis (e-mail 2ndcommittee@un.org; room IN-622 or NL-1033). Please note that only scanned copies of notes verbales or form A/INF/65/2* will be accepted by e-mail.

Third Committee*Informal briefing*

Pursuant to paragraph 3 (h) of the annex to General Assembly resolution 58/316, the Chair of the Third Committee for the sixty-fifth session of the General Assembly, H.E. Mr. Michel Tommo Monthe (Cameroon), will hold an informal briefing on the organization of work of the Committee (A/C.3/65/L.1) on Thursday, 16 September 2010, at 3 p.m. in Conference Room 1 (NLB).

List of speakers

The Committee will begin its work on Monday, 4 October, at 10 a.m. The list of speakers for the general discussion on all items of the Third Committee will open on Wednesday, 22 September 2010. Delegations wishing to be inscribed are requested to contact Ms. Lorna Fidler, *in writing* (e-mail fidler@un.org), indicating the full name and title of the speaker.

Composition of delegations

Delegations are reminded that the names of representatives, alternate representatives and advisers should be submitted, *as soon as possible*, to the Acting Secretary of the Committee, Mr. Otto Gustafik (c/o Mr. Paolo Dua (e-mail 3rdcommittee@un.org; room NL-1033 or IN-603G)). Please note that only scanned copies of notes verbales or form A/INF/65/2* will be accepted by e-mail.

Fifth Committee*Organizational meeting*

The Fifth Committee will hold its organizational meeting on Thursday, 30 September 2010, at 10 a.m. in Conference Room 3 (NLB), to consider the list of items allocated to the Fifth Committee by the General Assembly, to be issued as document A/C.5/65/L.1, and the proposed programme of work for the main part of the sixty-fifth session. The status of preparedness of documentation for the Fifth Committee during the sixty-fifth session of the General Assembly will be issued as document A/C.5/65/L.1.

Composition of delegations

Delegations that have not done so are kindly reminded to submit the names of their representatives, alternates and advisers to the Secretary of the Fifth Committee, Mr. Movses Abelian (c/o Ms. Ana Bürgi (e-mail fifthcommittee@un.org; fax 1 (212) 963-0360; room L-0320C)). Please note that only scanned copies of notes verbales or form A/INF/65/2* will be accepted by e-mail.

Other information

Information on the work of the Fifth Committee during the sixty-fifth session of the General Assembly, including the tentative and provisional programme of work, will be available at <www.un.org/ga/fifth/>.

General Assembly**Special Committee on Peacekeeping Operations**

Informal briefing

There will be an informal briefing by the Department of Peacekeeping Operations to members of the Special Committee on Thursday, 16 September 2010, at 3 p.m. in Conference Room 2 (NLB). The briefing will provide a progress update on the Special Committee's request to develop a strategic framework containing elements and parameters for mission-specific strategies to guide senior mission leadership in elaborating a comprehensive protection strategy, in accordance with paragraph 149 of the Special Committee's report (A/64/19).

United Nations Convention on the Law of the Sea**Meeting of States Parties****Working Group of the Bureau**

The informal Working Group of the Bureau of the Meeting of States Parties to the United Nations Convention on the Law of the Sea will hold its 9th meeting on the workload of the Commission on the Limits of the Continental Shelf, on Friday, 17 September 2010, from 1.15 to 2.45 p.m. in Conference Room 6 (NLB).

**General Assembly
Security Council****Peacebuilding Commission**

Fourth session

Organizational Committee

A formal meeting (open) of the Organizational Committee of the Peacebuilding Commission will be held on Thursday, 16 September 2010, at 11 a.m. in Conference Room 2 (NLB). An informal meeting (open) will be held immediately following the adjournment of the formal meeting.

Other forthcoming meetings

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Informal consultations on item 38 (The situation in Afghanistan) of the provisional agenda of the sixty-fifth session of the General Assembly (organized by the Permanent Mission of Germany)

Thursday, 16 September 2010, from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. in Conference Room 7 (NLB).

UNITAR briefings for new delegates to the General Assembly

General briefing on the work of the sixty-fifth session of the General Assembly

Thursday, 16 September 2010, from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. and from 3 to 6 p.m. in Conference Room 3 (NLB);

Special briefing on the work of the Second Committee

Friday, 17 September 2010, from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. in Conference Room 3 (NLB);

Special briefing on the work of the Third Committee

Friday, 17 September 2010, from 3 to 6 p.m. in Conference Room 3 (NLB); and

Special briefing on the work of the Fifth Committee

Friday, 17 September 2010, from 3 to 6 p.m. in Conference Room D (NLB).

[For further information, please contact Ms. Soukeyna Fall, UNITAR (e-mail: fall@un.org; tel. 1 (212) 963-9196).]

Association of Southeast Asian Nations–Gulf Cooperation Council (ASEAN-GCC) (ministerial meeting)

Tuesday, 21 September 2010, from 10 to 11.30 a.m. in Conference Room C (NLB).

Forthcoming other activities

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Women's International Forum: Meeting on "Gender equality and the empowerment of women" (sponsored by the Executive Office of the Secretary-General)

Thursday, 16 September 2010, from 11 a.m. to 12.30 p.m. in Conference Room 1 (NLB).

[Delegates and Secretariat staff are invited to attend.]

Prayer service on the occasion of the opening of the sixty-fifth session of the General Assembly (organized by the Permanent Observer Mission of the Holy See and the Archdiocese of New York)

Thursday, 16 September 2010, at 6 p.m., at the Church of the Holy Family (315 East 47th Street).

[All are invited to attend. For further information, please contact the Permanent Observer Mission of the Holy See (tel. 1 (212) 370-7885).]

Launch of the revised Pakistan Floods Emergency Response Plan by the Secretary-General, the Permanent Representative of Pakistan and the Under-Secretary-General for Humanitarian Affairs and Emergency Relief Coordinator

Friday, 17 September 2010, at 3.15 p.m. in the Economic and Social Council Chamber (NLB).

[Permanent and observers missions are invited to attend. For further information, please contact Ms. Mervat Shelbaya, OCHA (e-mail shelbaya@un.org; tel. 1 (212) 963-4533).]

Briefing on the negotiations under the United Nations Framework Convention on Climate Change (UNFCCC) (co-organized by the Permanent Mission of Mexico, the UNFCCC Secretariat and the Executive Office of the Secretary-General)

Tuesday, 21 September 2010, from 1.15 to 2.15 p.m. in Conference Room 2 (NLB).

[All delegations are invited to attend. Confirmation of participation, as well as queries related to this event, may be directed to the e-mail address ccstor@un.org.]

Forthcoming official meetings held away from Headquarters**Economic and Social Council****Committee of Experts on International Cooperation in Tax Matters**

Sixth session

United Nations Office at Geneva

In accordance with Economic and Social Council decision 2010/257 of 23 July 2010, the sixth session of the Committee of Experts on International Cooperation in Tax Matters will be held from Monday, 18, to Friday, 22 October 2010, at the Palais des Nations in Geneva.

Background materials, including the provisional agenda and organization of work, are available on the Financing for Development Web site at the following address: www.un.org/esa/ffd/tax/sixthsession/.

For further information, please contact the Acting Secretary of the Committee, Mr. Michael Lennard (e-mail taxffdoffice@un.org; tel. 1 (917) 367-5734).

Announcements

United Nations Regional Course in International Law

The deadline for applications for the United Nations Regional Course in International Law, scheduled to be held at Seoul National University, Republic of Korea, from 15 to 26 November 2010, has been extended until *Friday, 17 September 2010*. Applications are being accepted from candidates from Member States of the United Nations which are also members of the regional group of Asian States.

The regional course will be conducted in English. For further information, including application forms, please consult the Regional Course Web site <www.un.org/law/rcil/asia> or contact the Codification Division (e-mail rcil-asia@un.org).

Informational meetings with Member States to discuss issues relating to language services

In accordance with the established practice mandated by the General Assembly, the Department for General Assembly and Conference management holds informational meetings with Member States twice a year to consult with them on the improvement of the language services and to provide a channel for communication on terminology issues and the quality of services rendered. The second round of language-specific informational meetings for 2010 will be held in October, in Conference Room E (NLB), according to the following schedule:

Tuesday, 26 October, from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m.: *Arabic*

Tuesday, 26 October, from 3 to 6 p.m.: *Chinese*

Wednesday, 27 October, from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m.: *English*

Wednesday, 27 October, from 3 to 6 p.m.: *French*

Thursday, 28 October, from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m.: *Russian*

Thursday, 28 October, from 3 to 6 p.m.: *Spanish*

Security Council

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Web site of the presidency

The Web site of the presidency of the Security Council can be visited at <www.un.org/sc/presidency.asp>.

Recorded information

Recorded information about previously unscheduled meetings and consultations of the whole of the Security Council may be obtained by calling 1 (212) 963-8530, or by clicking on "Daily Programme" on the Web site of the Security Council <www.un.org/Docs/sc>.

Prepared statements

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Delegations are kindly requested to make 40 copies for minimum distribution to Council members and relevant services, and 200 additional copies for general distribution in the Security Council Chamber.

Delegations wishing to make statements available for the media are kindly requested to deliver 50 copies to the Media Documents Centre (e-mail mdc@un.org; tel. 1 (212) 963-7166; room SA-1B12).

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Summary of official meetings

Tuesday, 14 September 2010

General Assembly Sixty-fourth session

122nd plenary meeting *Strengthening of the United Nations system: draft resolution (A/64/L.67)* [120]

The General Assembly resumed its consideration of agenda item 120.

The representative of Belgium (on behalf of the European Union) made a statement, in the course of which he introduced and orally revised draft resolution A/64/L.67.

The representative of the Secretariat made a statement on programme budget implications of draft resolution A/64/L.67.

Statements in explanation of vote before the vote were made by the representatives of Lesotho (on behalf of the African Group), Suriname (on behalf of the Caribbean Community), Nauru (also on behalf of Fiji, the Marshall Islands, Micronesia (Federated States of), Palau and Solomon Islands), the Bolivarian Republic of Venezuela and the Islamic Republic of Iran.

The representative of Suriname (on behalf of the Caribbean Community) made a statement on a point of order, in the course of which he moved, under rule 74 of the rules of procedure, that the debate on draft resolution A/64/L.67, as orally revised, be adjourned.

The representatives of Nauru (also on behalf of Fiji, the Marshall Islands, Micronesia (Federated States of), Palau and Solomon Islands), the Bolivarian Republic of Venezuela, Belgium (on behalf of the European Union) and the United Kingdom made statements, in accordance with rule 74 of the rules of procedure.

The motion for adjournment of debate was adopted by a vote of 76 in favour to 71 against, with 26 abstentions (recorded vote).

The General Assembly decided to include agenda item 120 in the draft agenda of the sixty-fifth session and thus concluded its consideration of agenda item 120.

Closing statement by the President

The President made a statement.

The General Assembly observed one minute of silent prayer or meditation.

Closure of the sixty-fourth session of the General Assembly

The President declared closed the sixty-fourth session of the General Assembly.

General Assembly

Sixty-fifth session

1st plenary meeting

Opening of the session by the President of the General Assembly

[1]

The President, H.E. Mr. Joseph Deiss (Switzerland), declared the sixty-fifth session of the General Assembly opened.

Minute of silent prayer or meditation

[2]

The General Assembly observed one minute of silent prayer or meditation.

Statement by the President of the General Assembly

The President made a statement.

Scale of assessments for the apportionment of the expenses of the United Nations (Article 19 of the Charter) (A/65/359)

[135]

The General Assembly took note of the letter from the Secretary-General (A/65/359) concerning six Member States which were in arrears in the payment of their financial contributions to the United Nations within the terms of Article 19 of the Charter.

Organization of work, adoption of the agenda and allocation of items; and Pattern of conferences: letter from the Chair of the Committee on Conferences (A/65/337) [7 and 134]

The General Assembly took note of document A/65/337, containing a letter dated 30 August 2010 from the Chair of the Committee on Conferences addressed to the President of the General Assembly.

The General Assembly decided to authorize the following subsidiary organs of the Assembly to meet during the main part of the sixty-fifth session of the General Assembly: Committee on Relations with the Host Country; Committee on the Exercise of the Inalienable Rights of the Palestinian People; Disarmament Commission; Independent Audit Advisory Committee; International Criminal Court; Assembly of States Parties to the Rome Statute; and Working Group on the Financing of the United Nations Relief and Works Agency for Palestine Refugees in the Near East (UNRWA).

Signatures, Ratifications, etc.

Treaty Event

Multilateral Treaty Framework: An invitation to universal participation

2010 Treaty Event: Towards universal participation and implementation

United Nations Headquarters (21–23 and 27–28 September 2010)

It is recalled that a series of successful treaty events have been held annually at the Headquarters of the United Nations commencing with the Millennium Summit in 2000. This year, the annual treaty event will be held from Tuesday, 21, to Thursday, 23 September, and on Monday, 27, and Tuesday, 28 September 2010, at United Nations Headquarters, to coincide with the general debate of the sixty-fifth session of the General Assembly.

The Event, entitled “2010 Treaty Event: Towards universal participation and implementation”, provides a distinct opportunity for States to demonstrate their continuing commitment to the central role of the rule of law in international relations. This year’s event will highlight treaties of global reach such as human rights, terrorism, penal matters, disarmament, climate change and the protection of United Nations personnel. In particular, this year will highlight a theme which celebrates and safeguards life on earth, biodiversity. 2010 marks the International Year of Biodiversity; it also marks the start of the United Nations Decade for Deserts and the Fight against Desertification, another global issue requiring a global response.

The list of treaties being highlighted this year has been circulated by depositary notification C.N.243.2010.TREATIES-3 of 28 April 2010. As is customary, it will be possible to undertake treaty actions with regard to any treaty deposited with the Secretary-General during the treaty event. Necessary facilities, including media coverage, will be made available for treaty actions to be undertaken in a solemn setting.

Delegations intending to sign or deposit instruments of ratification, acceptance, approval or accession relating to multilateral treaties deposited with the Secretary-General during the treaty event may wish to inform their Governments accordingly for the purpose of completing the requisite domestic procedures.

Under established international practice, only Heads of State, Heads of Government or Ministers for Foreign Affairs are empowered, by virtue of their functions, to sign treaties on behalf of States without having to produce full powers to that effect. All other representatives wishing to sign treaties must be in possession of appropriate full powers, which expressly authorize signature of specified treaties by a named representative issued and signed by one of these authorities. Likewise, instruments of ratification, acceptance, approval or accession must be issued and signed by the same authorities.

The Secretary-General would be obliged if States wishing to sign, ratify or accede to any of the treaties could notify and provide copies of full powers/instruments in advance to the Treaty Section.

Further information concerning the 2010 Treaty Event is available on the United Nations Treaty Collection Web site <treaties.un.org> and at the Treaty Section, Office of Legal Affairs (tel. 1 (212) 963-5047). Information concerning the requirements for full powers and the deposit of instruments of ratification, acceptance, approval or accession (including model instruments) can be found in the *Treaty Handbook*, which is also available on the United Nations Treaty Collection Web site.

International Cocoa Agreement, 2001

Geneva, 25 June 2010

Opening for signature

In accordance with its article 54, the above Agreement shall be open for signature in New York from 1 October 2010 until 30 September 2012, by parties to the International Cocoa Agreement, 2001, and Governments invited to the United Nations Conference, 2010.

Certified true copies of the Agreement, of which the Arabic, Chinese, English, French, Russian and Spanish texts are equally authentic, will be prepared and will be transmitted to all States as soon as possible.

The Secretary-General takes this opportunity to recall that, under established international practice, only Heads of State, Heads of Government or Ministers for Foreign Affairs are empowered by virtue of their functions, to sign a treaty on behalf of a State without having to produce full powers to that effect. Other representatives wishing to sign a treaty must be in possession of appropriate full powers, which expressly authorize signature of a specific treaty by a named representative issued and signed by one of these authorities. Full powers are distinct from credentials. Credentials alone are not adequate for the purpose of signing a treaty.

The Secretary-General would be obliged if States wishing to sign the Agreement could notify, and provide copies of the required full powers in advance to the Treaty Section, Office of Legal Affairs (380 Madison Avenue, New York; e-mail depositaryCN@un.org; tel. 1 (212) 963-5047; fax 1 (212) 963-3693).

For more information on full powers and a model instrument of full powers, please refer to the *Treaty Handbook* on the United Nations Treaty Collection Web site, which can be accessed at the following address <treaties.un.org>.

General information

Chairs of the regional groups

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Lesotho
H.E. Mr. Motlatsi Ramafole

Asian States:

Republic of Korea
H.E. Mr. Park In-Kook

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H.E. Mr. Rayko S. Raytchev

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H.E. Mr. Henry Leonard Mac-Donald

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H.E. Mr. Carsten Staur

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